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22nd FEBRUARY, 1992
EVERY MONDAY 50P

Buster

INSIDE:

*The number one
Comic*

CAPTAIN
CRUCIAL

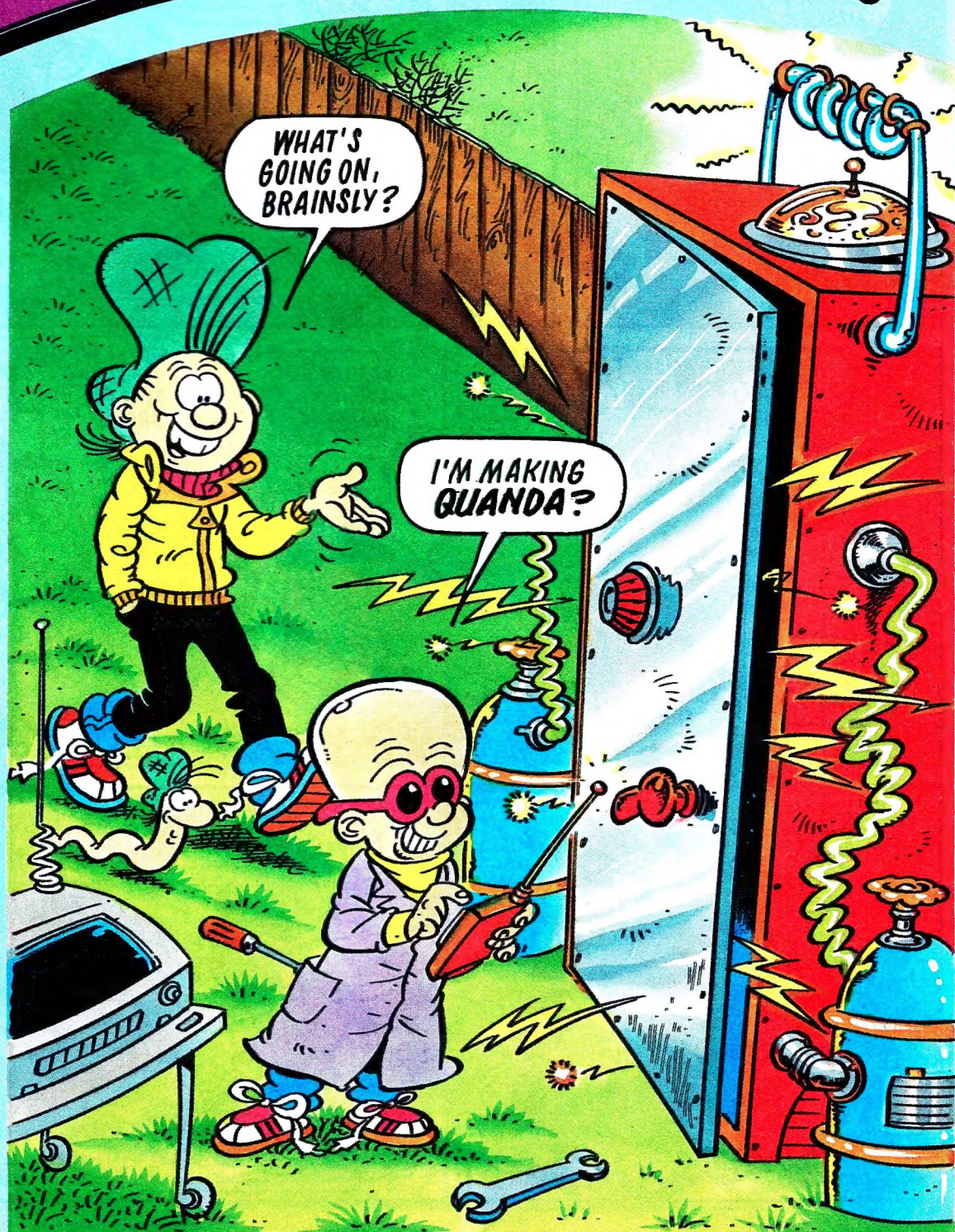
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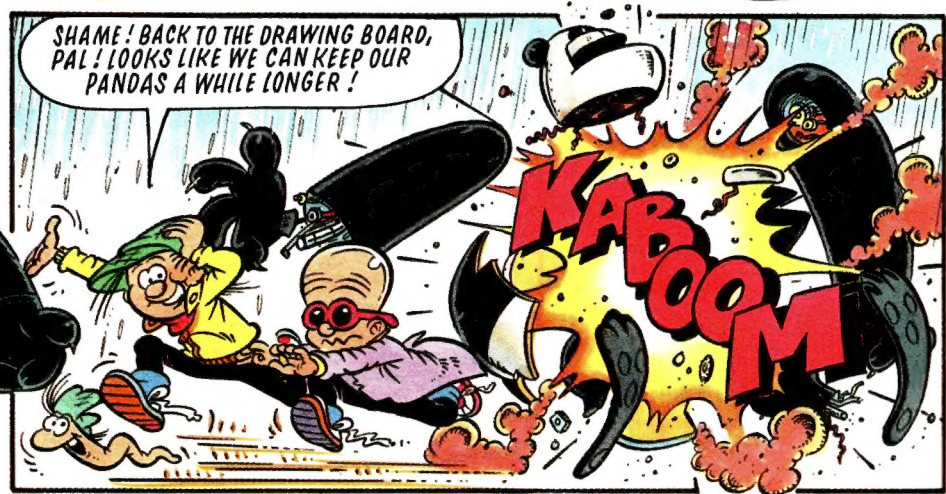
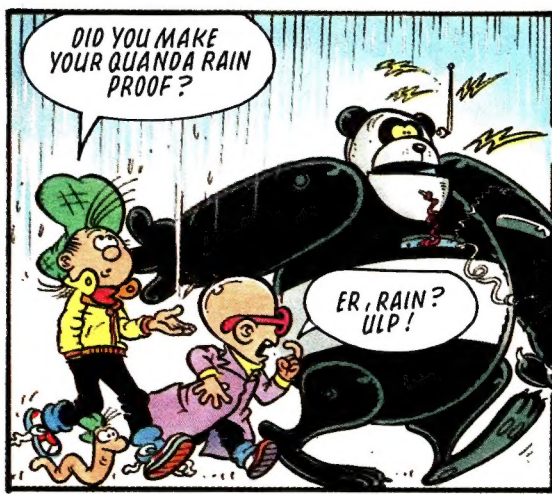
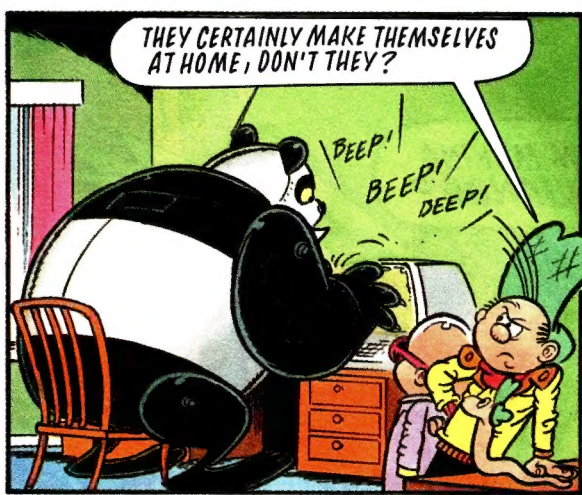
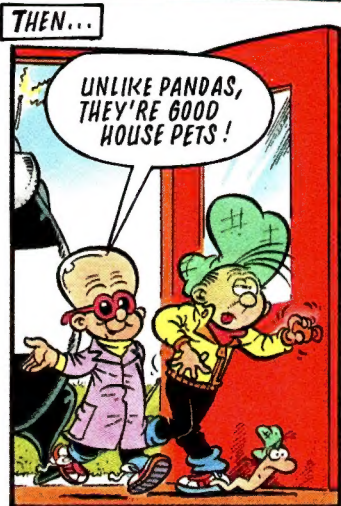
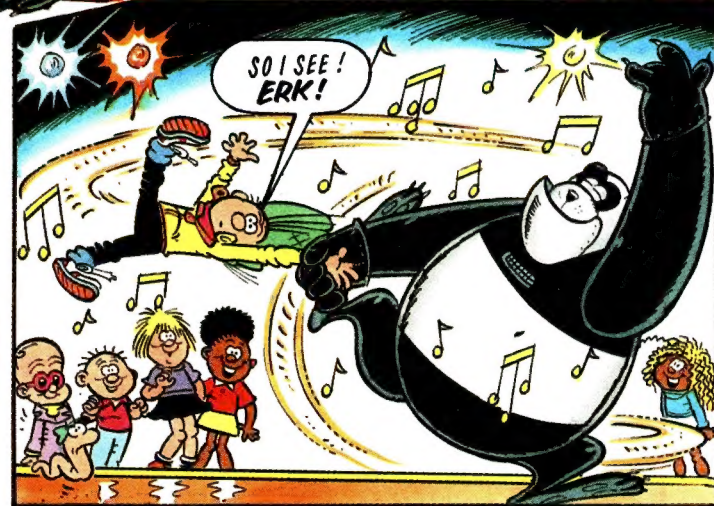
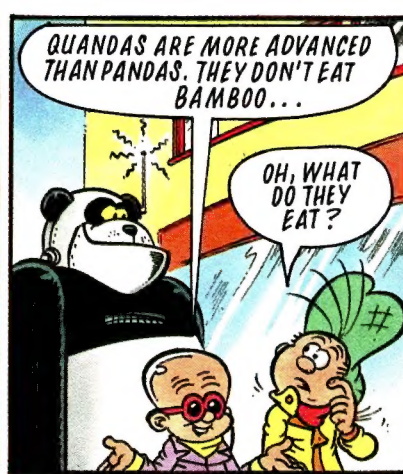
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SPECS

JOKER

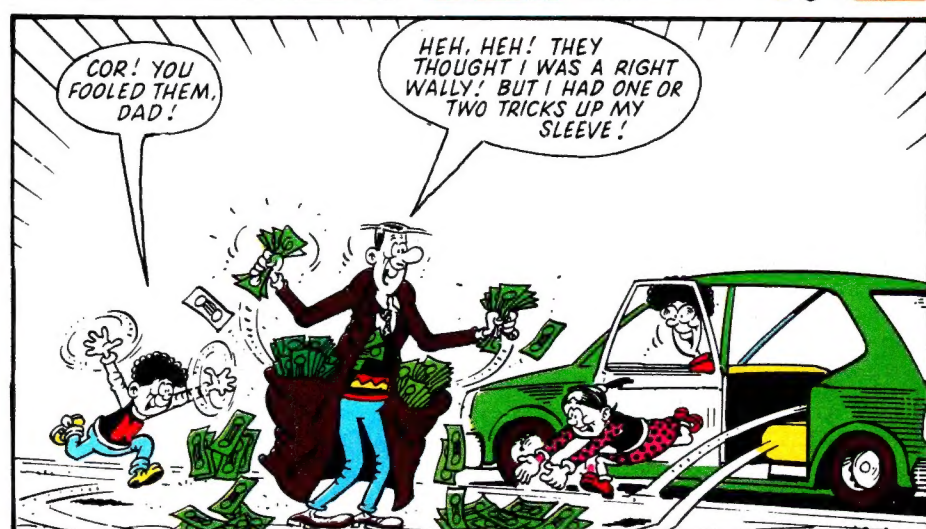
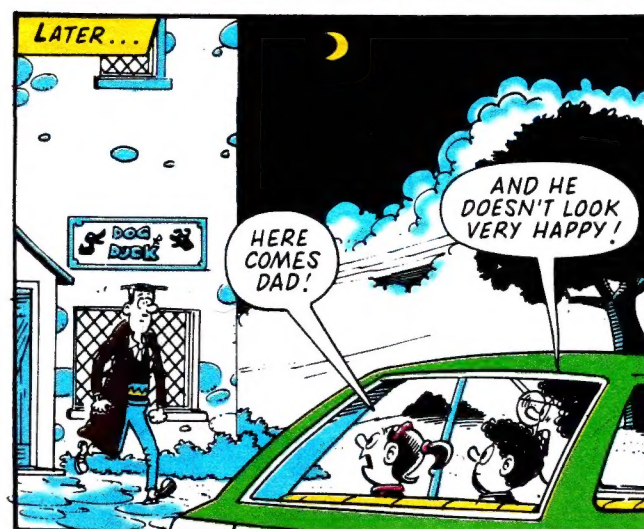
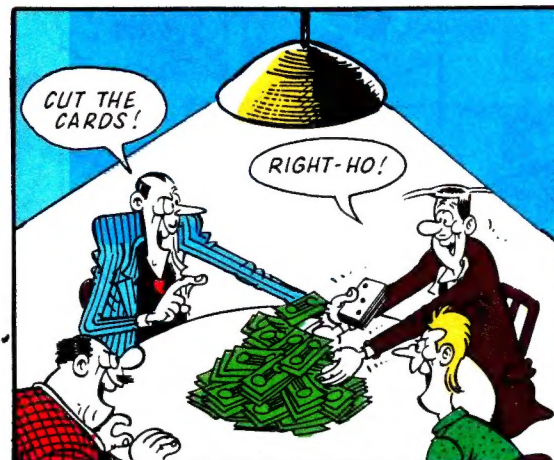
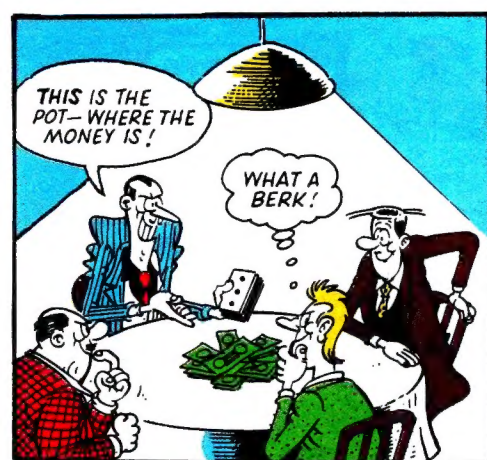
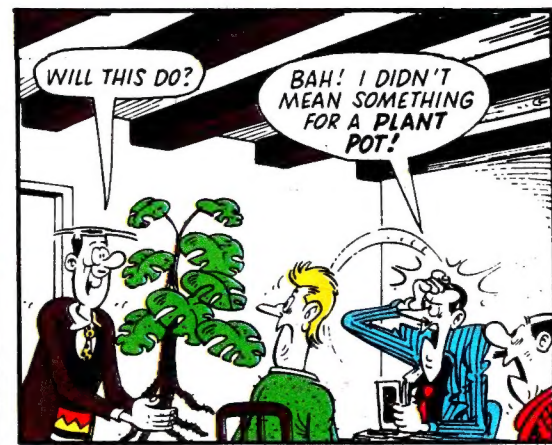
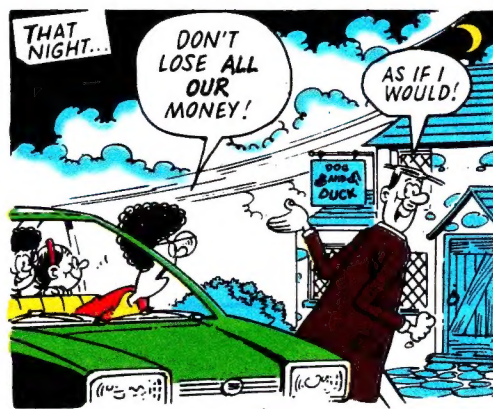
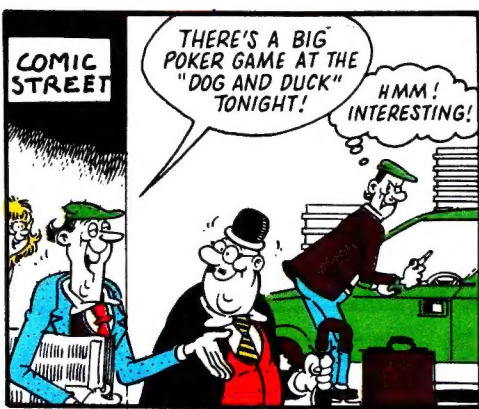
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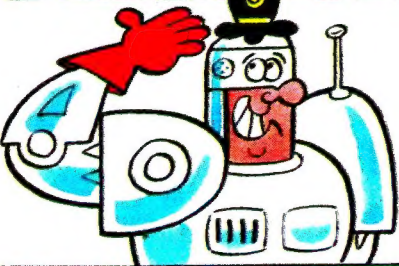




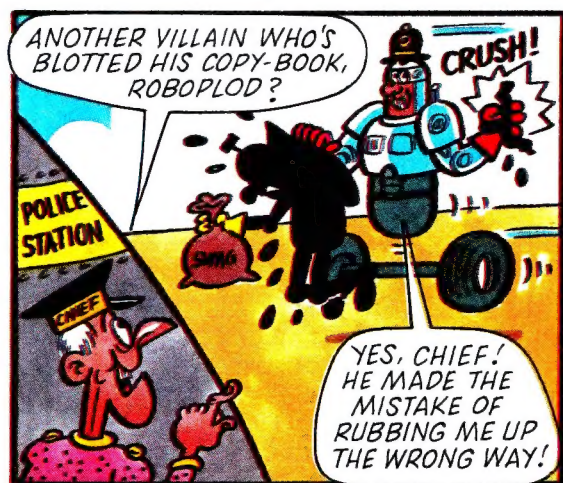
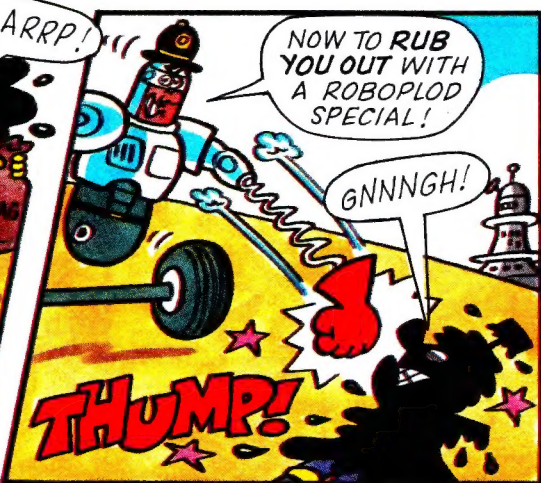
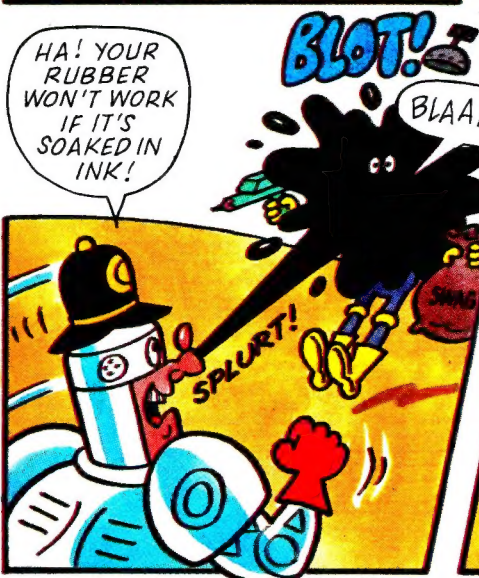
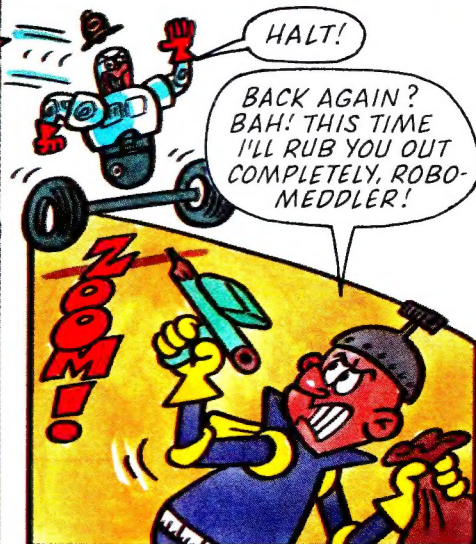
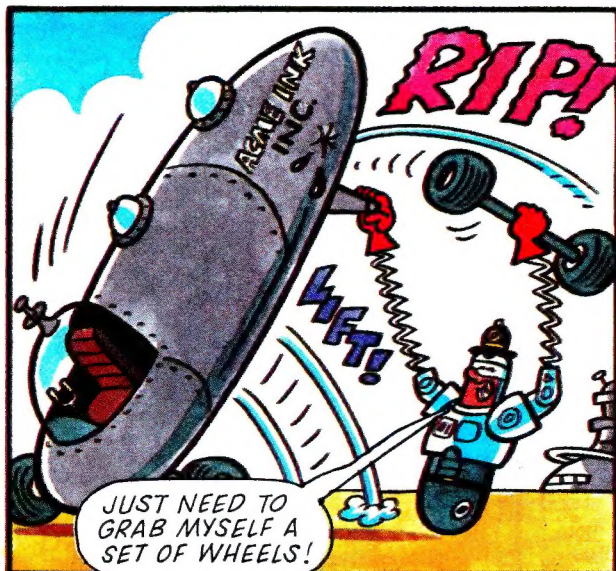
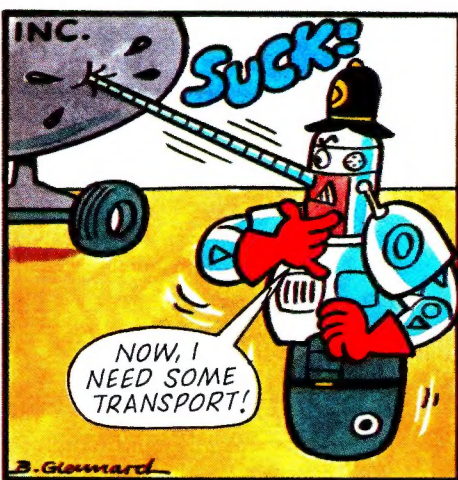
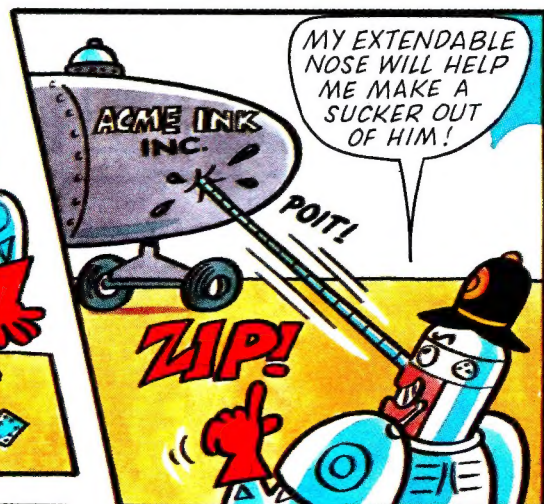
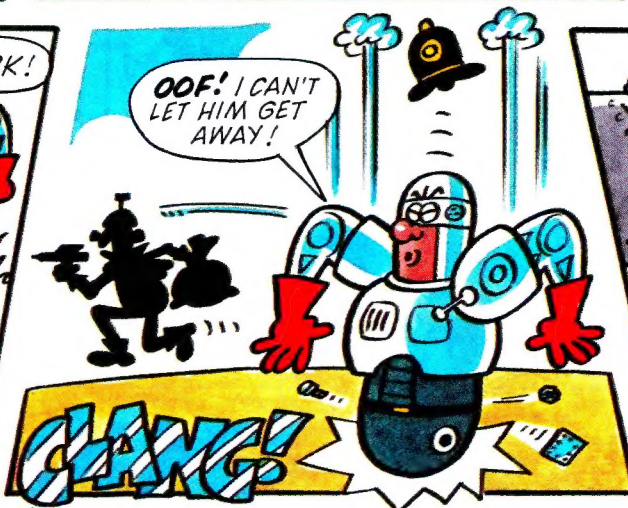
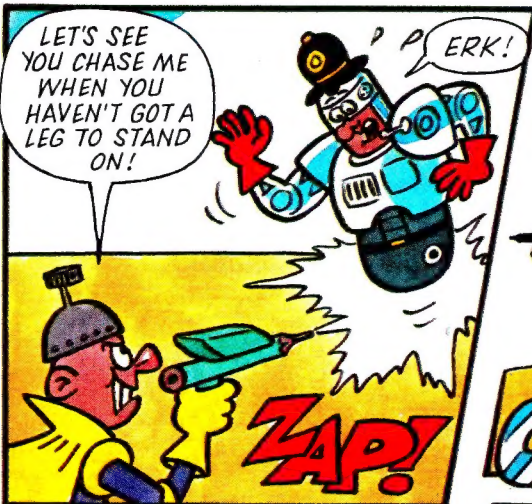
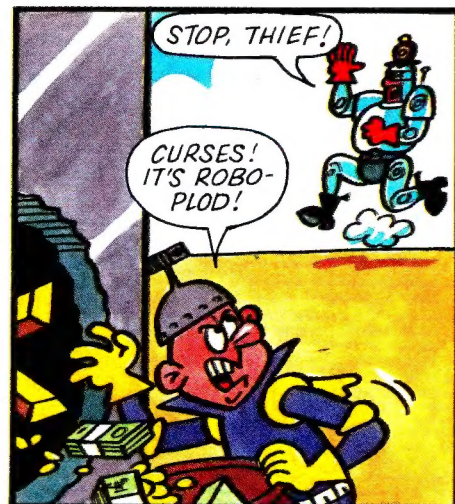
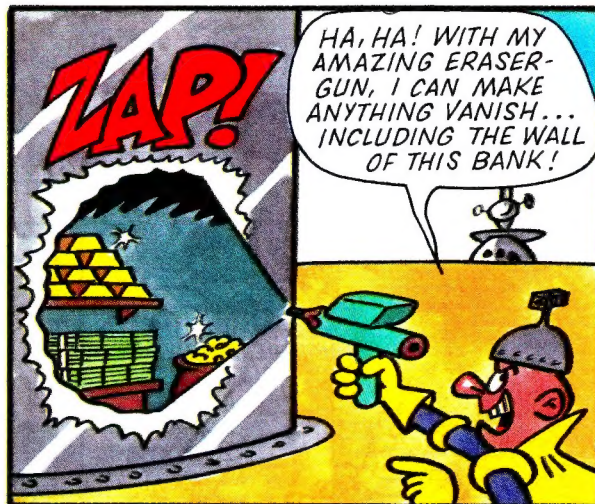
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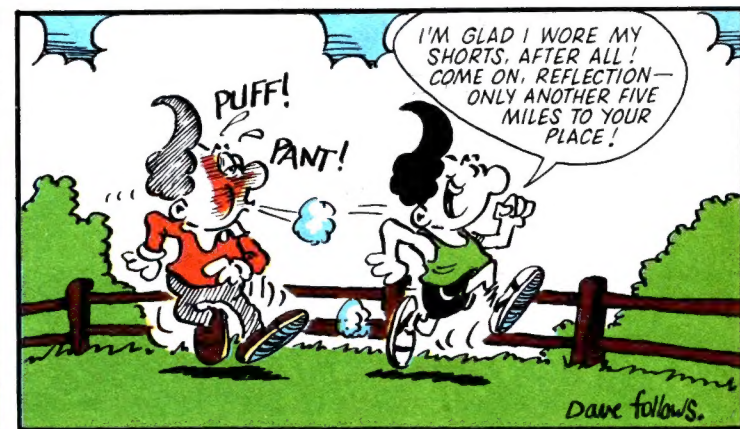
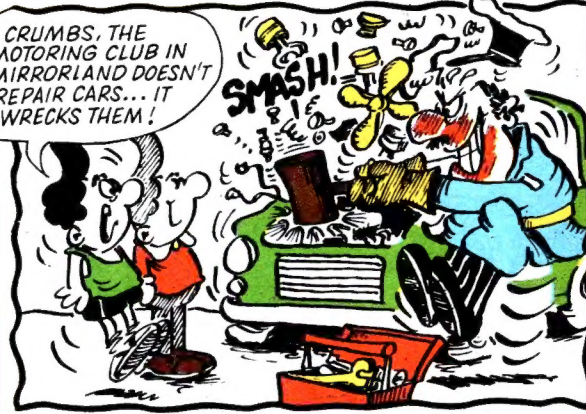
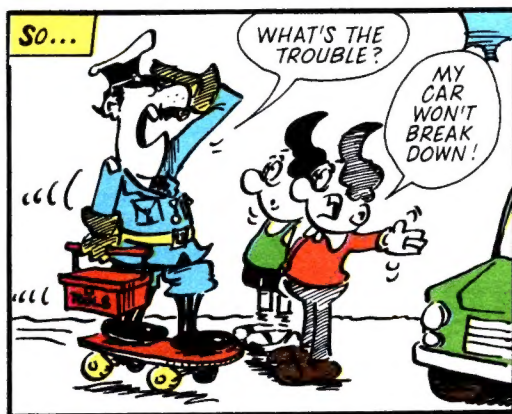
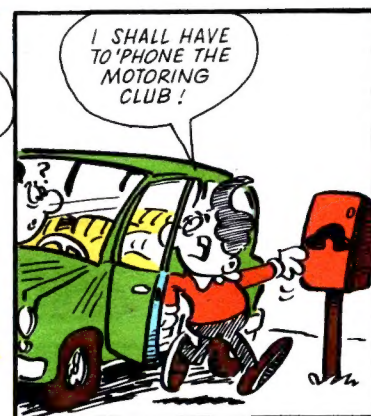
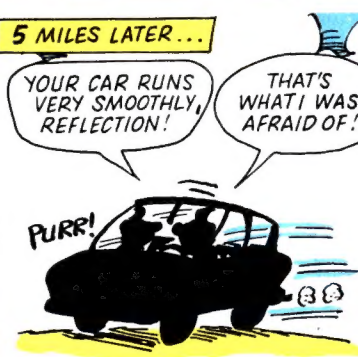
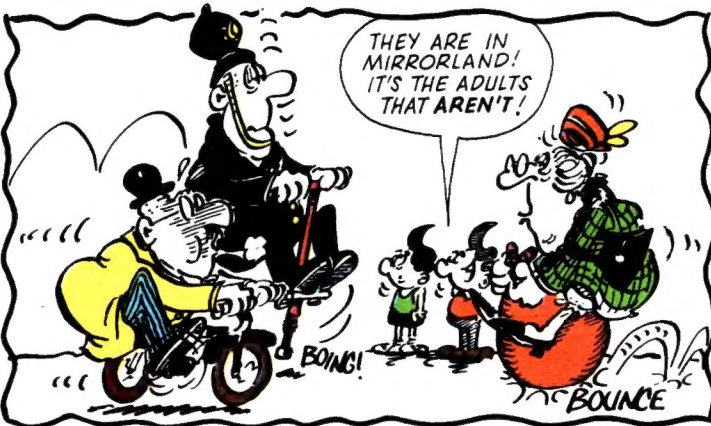
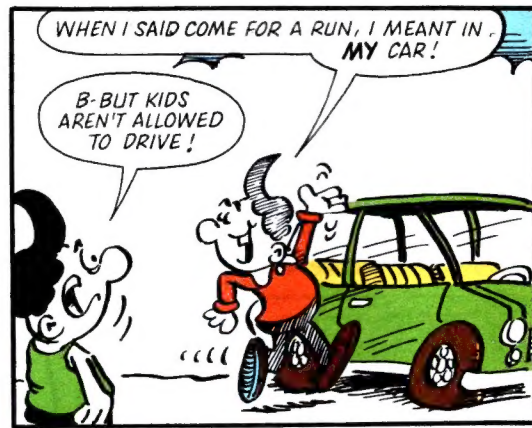
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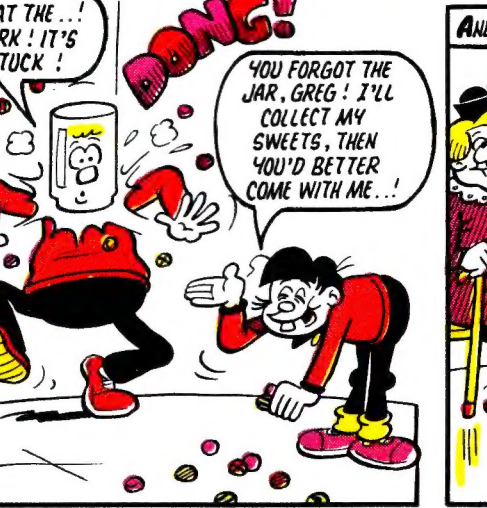
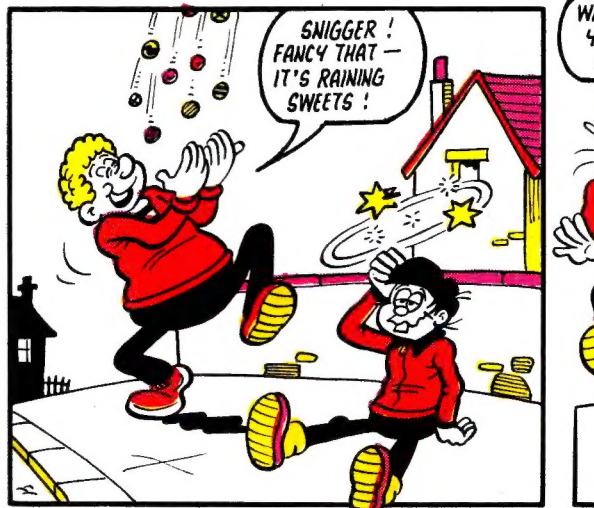
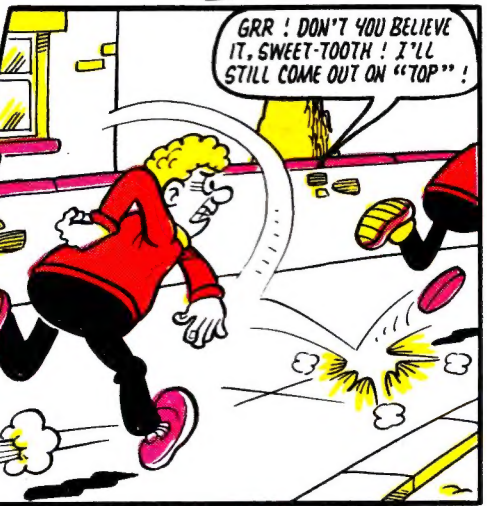
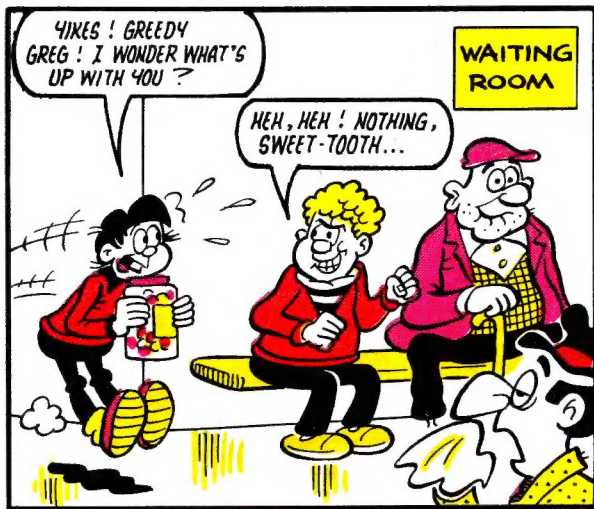
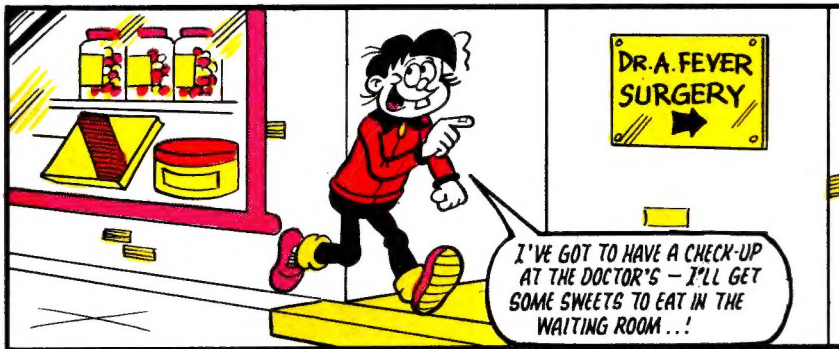
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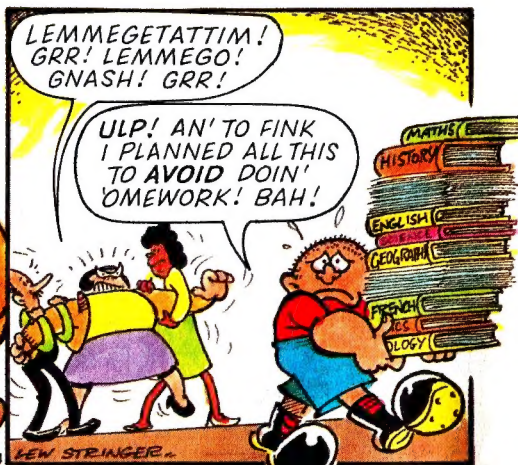
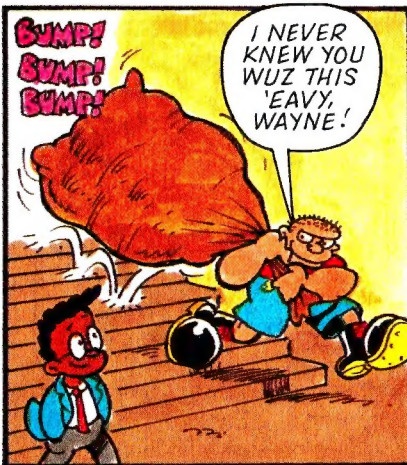
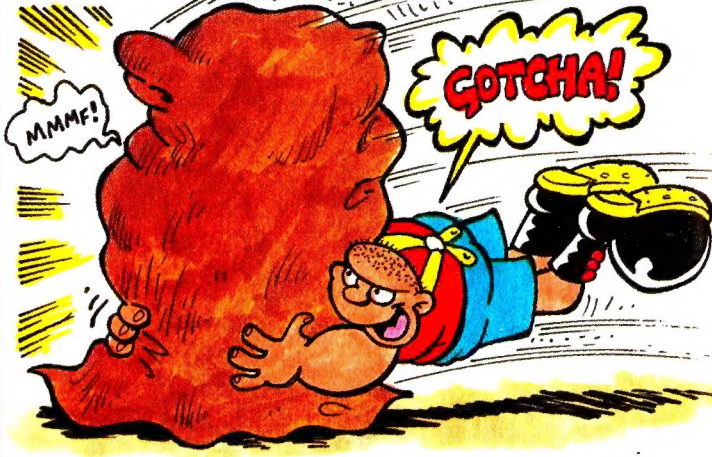
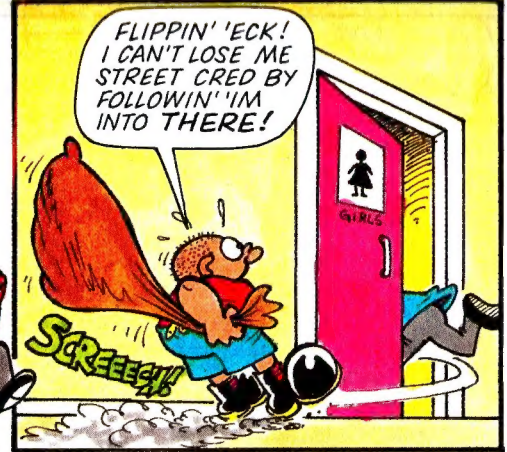
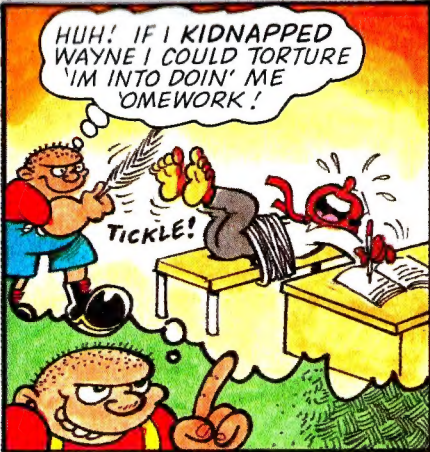
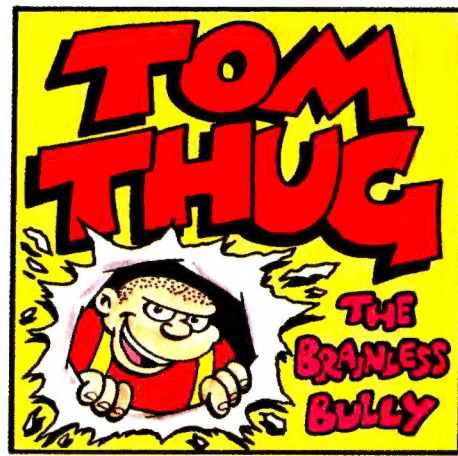


Melvyn's MIRROR



SWEET-TOOTH





JOKER

UNFURL MY BANNER!
LET THE VOTERS
BELOW SEE IT!

EH? THERE'S
NOTHING FUNNY
ABOUT 'VOTE
FOR SMITH'!

HOOT!

HA, HA!

AND...

ODEUS THEATRE

THE RATTRAP

AH, YES! A
JOKER CAN HAVE
LOTS OF FUN
WITH SIGNS!

RUN
EXTENDED
FOR
ANOT

RATTRAP

RUN
EXTENDED
THRU'
HERE

TUM-TI-TUM...!

KNICKERS

GAH! SOMEONE'S
CHANGED MY BANNER!
THIS TRICKERY HAS GOT
JOKER'S SIGNATURE
ALL OVER IT!

BUTCHER

THE ODEUS THEA

THE RATTRAP

THIS...PUFF!
...WAY!

RUN
EXTENDED
THRU'
HERE

FINISHED JUST IN TIME
FOR THE FUN RUN!

STAGE DOOR

SHORT!
ENJOY YOUR
LITTLE DASH OF
CULTURE,
MATES?

THEN...

GRE

RESTAURANT &

HEY, MATE...TRY
"A"... "45"... "E"
...NEXT!

MENU

WHAT WAS
THAT YOU SAID...
OOOPS!

TIP!

NUDGE!

RANT

FB K JOY RANT

AAAAH!
GOODBYE,
WORLD!

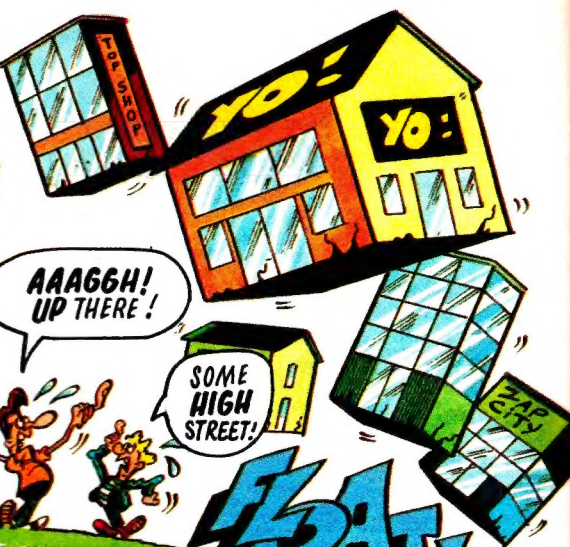
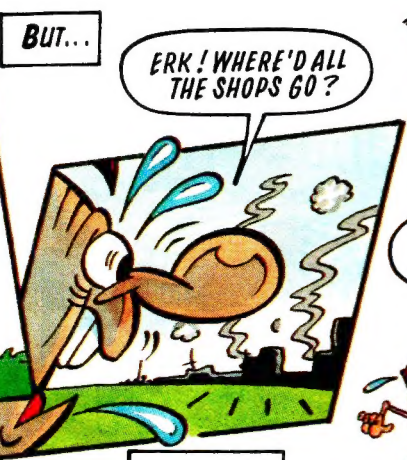
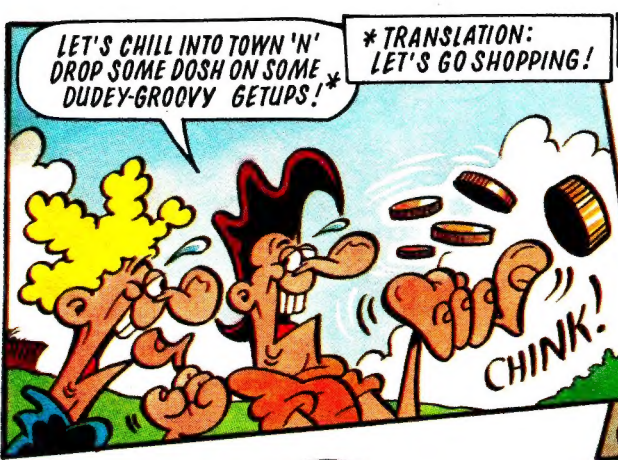
MENU

BUT...

ARE! SIGNS ARE
THE JOKE'S ON
YOU, JOKER!
THOSE ARE
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LETTERS!

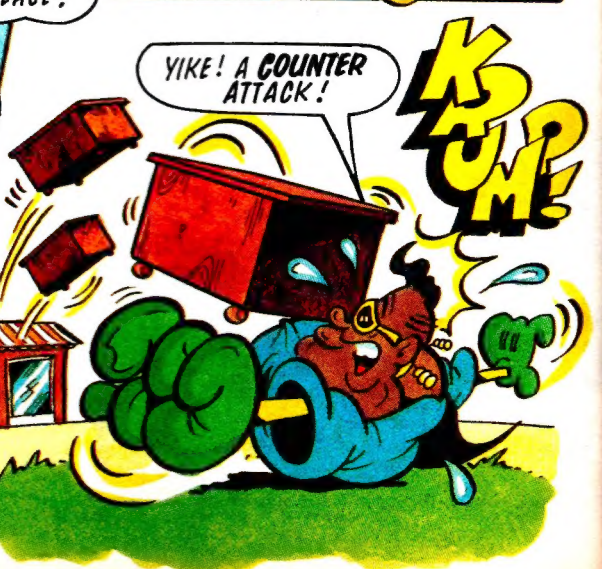
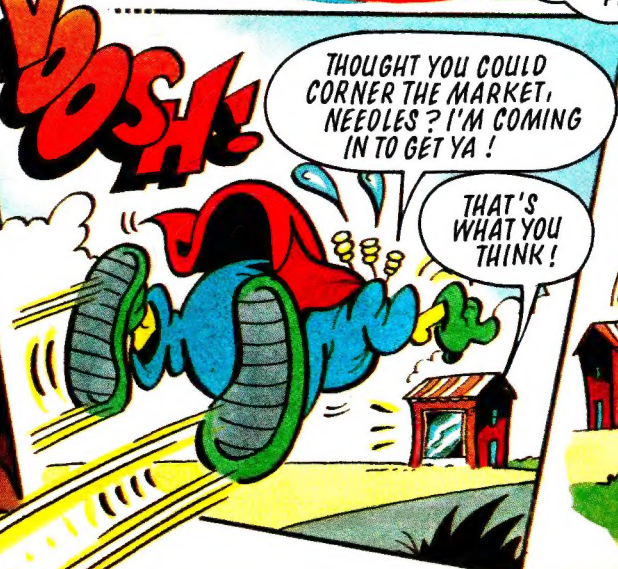
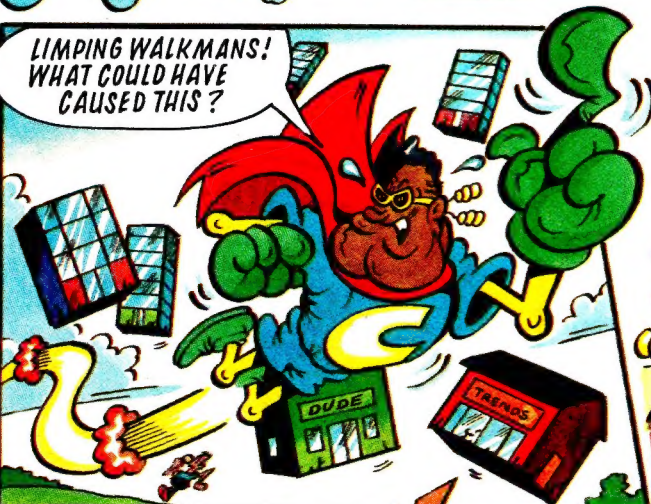
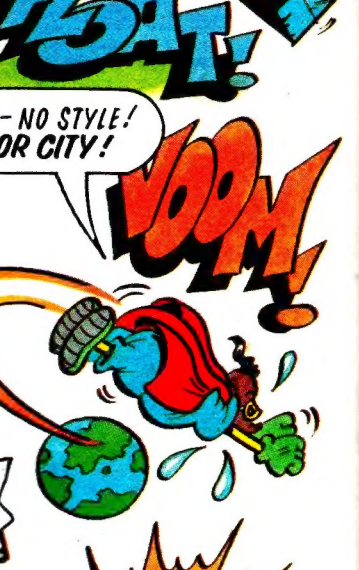
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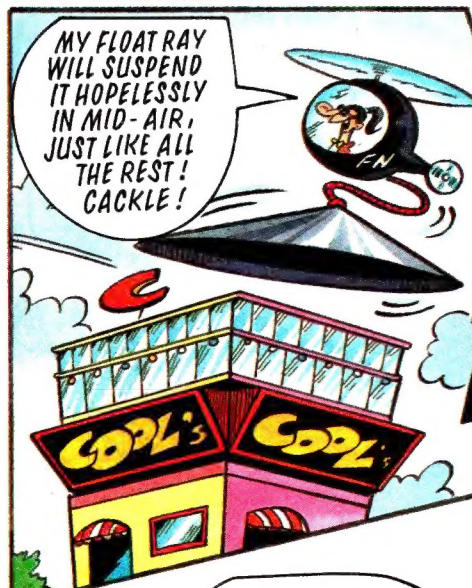
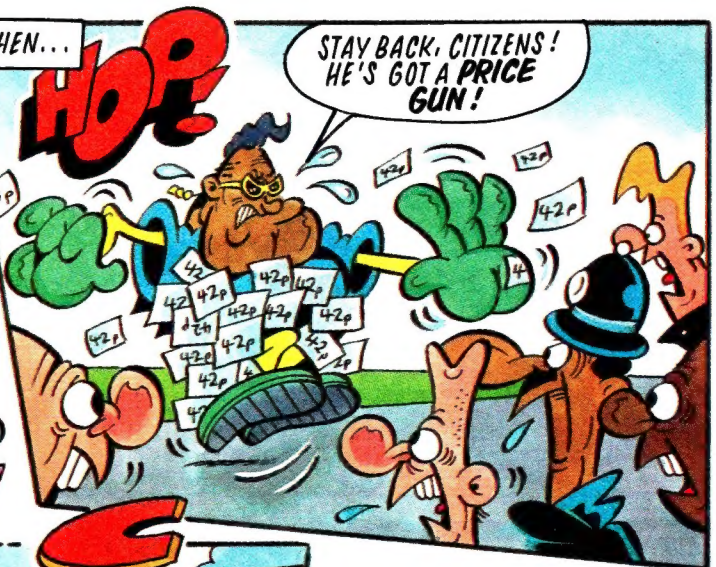
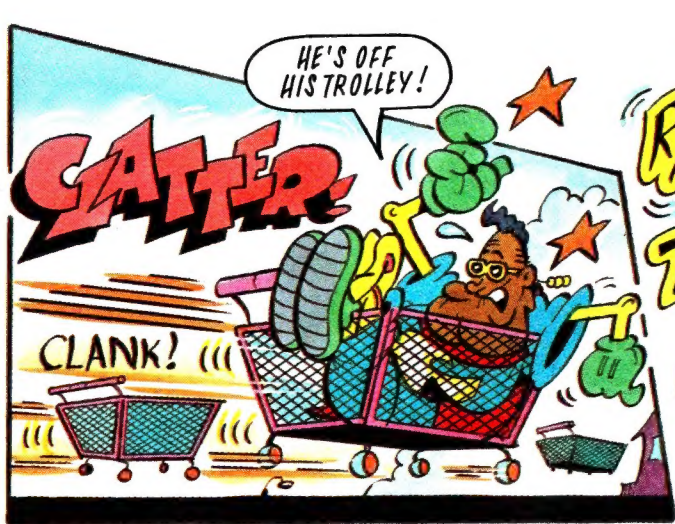
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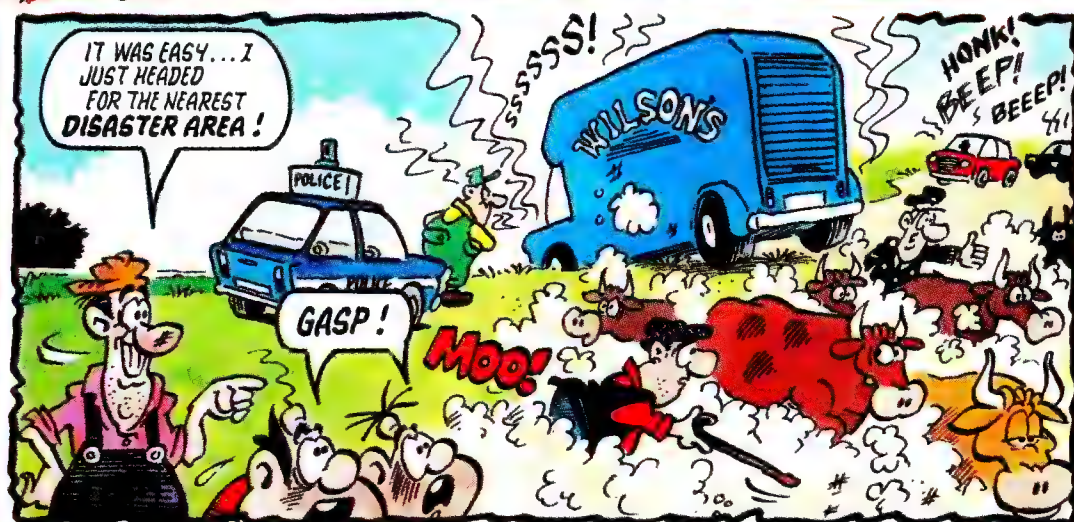
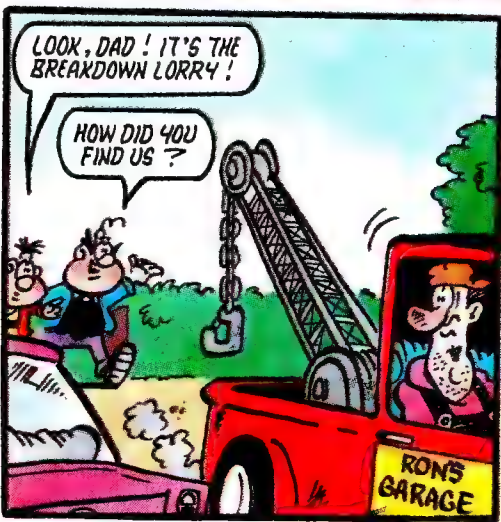
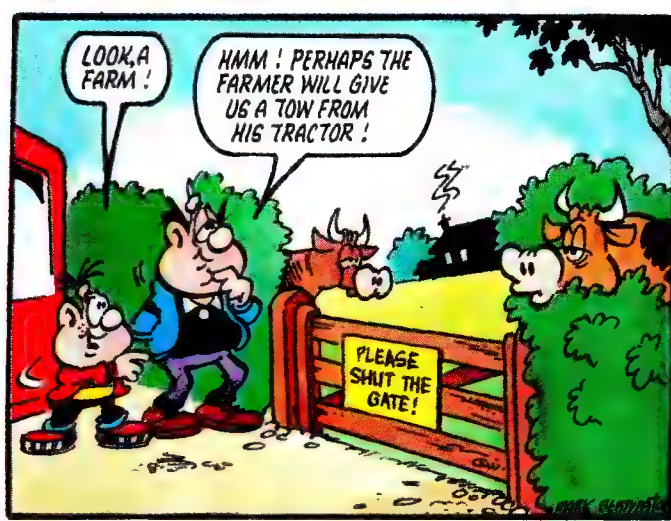
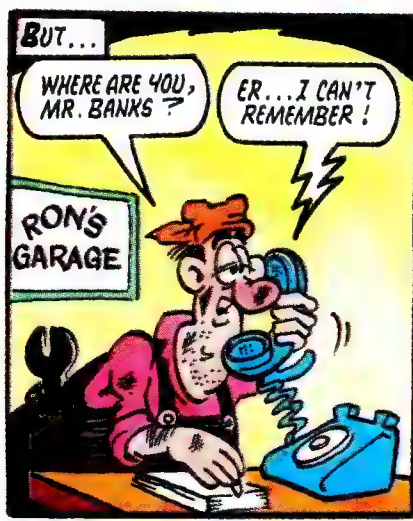
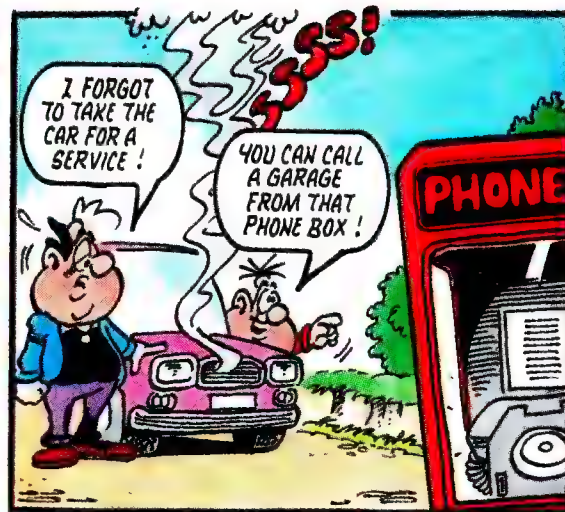
CAPTAIN CRUCIAL

CLOSED SHOP ENCOUNTERS OF THE FRED KIND!

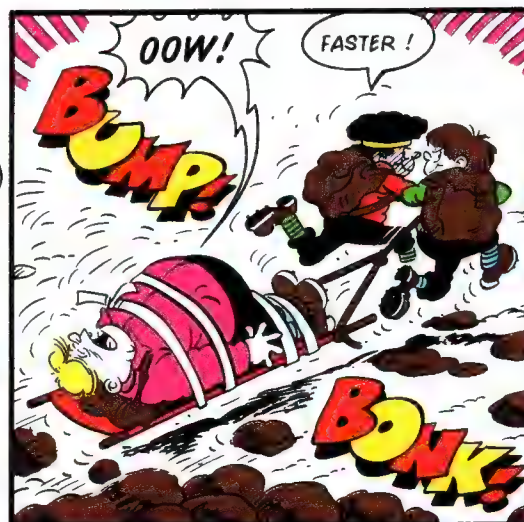
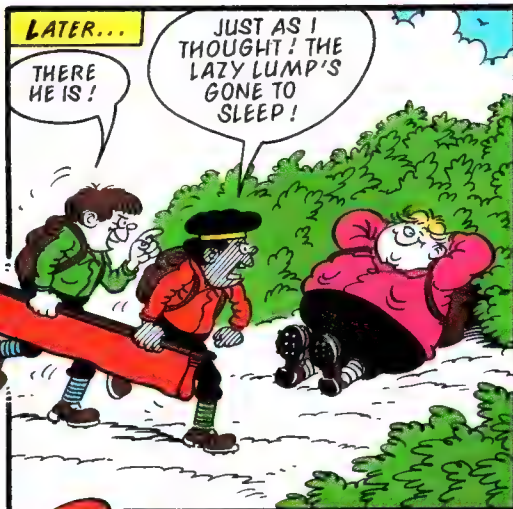
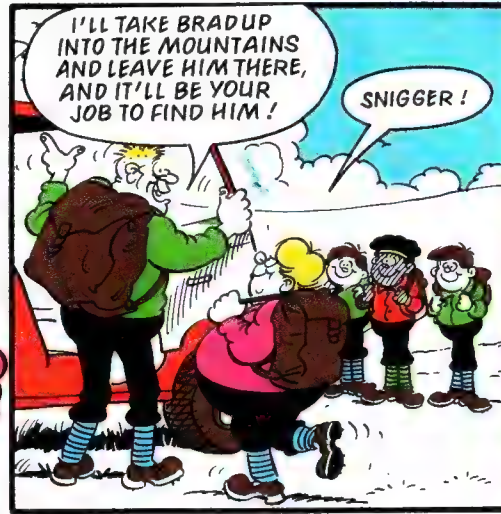
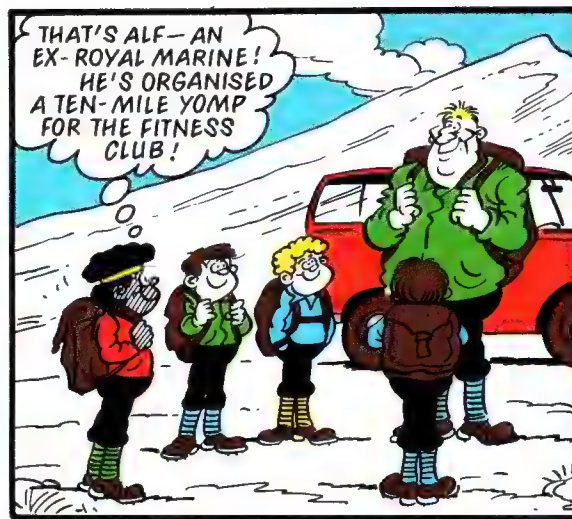




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Phil Fitt



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The jokes are great,
It's fun all through.

RAD RAP

Captain Crucial - he's just fab,
Tom Thug the bully - he is mad.
X-Ray Specs can see it all,
But Buster is the best of all!
- JACK NORGROVE, KIDDERMINSTER



Dear Buster, My son, Gary, aged 11, reads your comic every week, and is always sketching the characters. I am sending a page from his sketch pad in the hope you can use his drawings on your Pin-board. It looks to me like Ricky Rainbow having some fun.

Gary doesn't know I have sent this. It wouldn't half surprise him to see his drawings in Buster.
- Peter Naylor, LOWTON.

What do you get if you cross a Sculpture and a Handkerchief?
A Statchoo!
- Heledd Fychan, Llangefni.



- Manjinder Kaur, Quinton

DEAR BUSTER, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MY NEW COMIC STRIP? IT'S CALLED, "THE ADVENTURES OF THE INVISIBLE MAN IN A SNOWSTORM".
- Justin Hussey, St. Albans.

To Stephen Hughes
- Congrats on being Nintendo champ!
from Matthew

Please fill in and send this coupon when you write to me.

The coolest pages in BUSTER are:

1. _____
2. _____

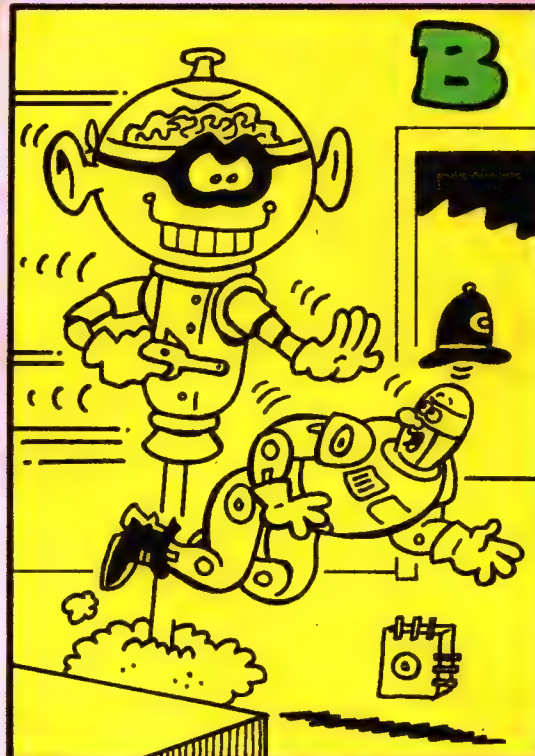
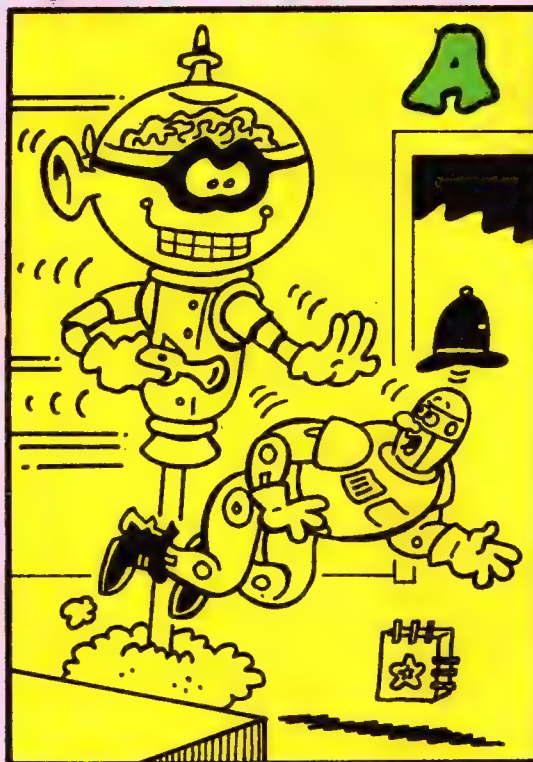
I think this is boring:

Spot the Differences

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WON
EVERY
WEEK!**

THERE ARE TEN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PICTURES A AND B. CIRCLE THESE DIFFERENCES ON PICTURE B, COMPLETE THE COUPON WITH YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS, THEN CUT OUT AND SEND THE COUPON AND PICTURE B TO: SPOT THE DIFFERENCES No. 518, BUSTER COMIC, FLEETWAY EDITIONS, P.O. BOX 164, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX, CM1 3XB. TO ARRIVE BY 13th MARCH, WHICH IS THE CLOSING DATE. THE SENDERS OF THE FIRST FOUR CORRECT ENTRIES OPENED WILL EACH WIN FIVE POUNDS!



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16 FEB - TIMOTHY BUDDEN (age 13), WILLINGTON, BEDS.
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19 FEB - VICTORIA NUNN (age 16), CHINGFORD.
20 FEB - VICTORIA OLEY (age 13), SUNDERLAND.
22 FEB - JONATHAN WHEELER (age 9), ARNOLD.
22 FEB - GINNI KATHURIA (age 11), HOUNSLOW, MIDDX.
22 FEB - NATASHA BEAVIS (age 17), EAST HAM.

KARTOON KORNER



Dear Buster,
Please would you Kartoon my brother, Richard, age 11. I would love to see his face if you did - I'd show it to all his friends.
- GEORGINA LLOYD, KINGSWOOD.
... Looks like he needs to read BUSTER to cheer him up!

WHAT'S THE
MATTER
WITH ME??



Dear Buster,

Here is a top ten of my LEAST favourite things:

1. FOOD: Cabbage.
 2. LESSON: Geography.
 3. ANIMAL: Tarantula.
 4. COMIC: Dandy.
 5. TV PROG: The News.
 6. DRINK: Tizer.
 7. COMIC CHARACTER: Lucy Lastic.
 8. SINGERS: New Kids on the Block.
 9. COLOUR: Pink.
 10. GAME: Chess.
- JAMES CHECKLEY, COUNDON, COVENTRY.

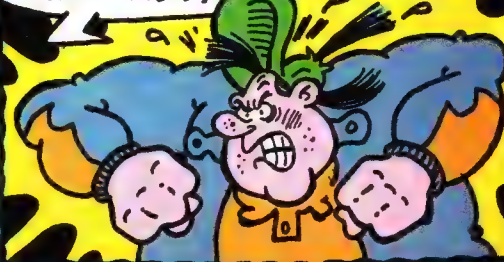
Dear Buster,

I'm afraid to tell you this, but my friend, Nick, is in love with Brenda Bagg. Is there anything you can give him?

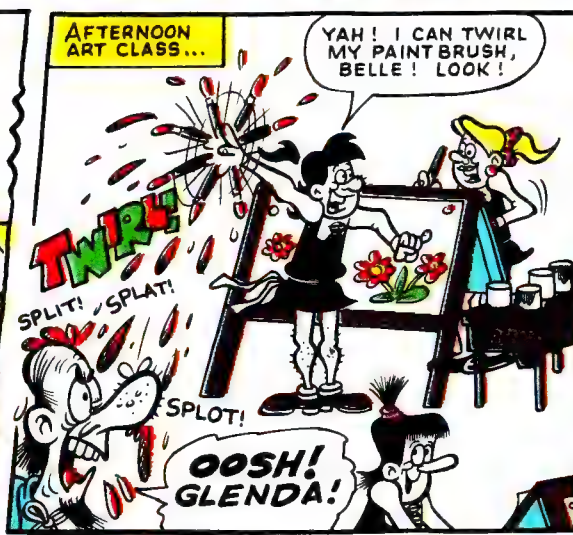
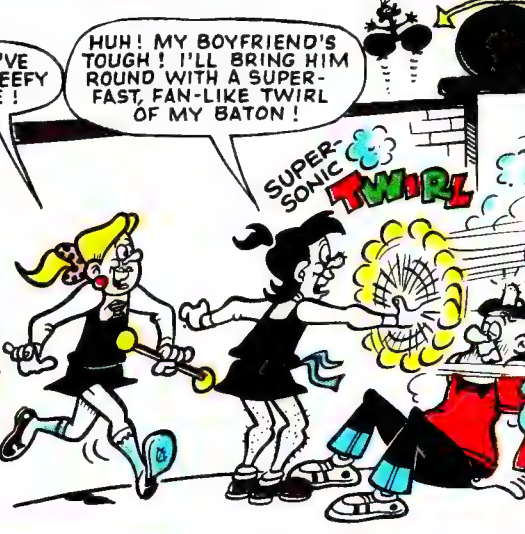
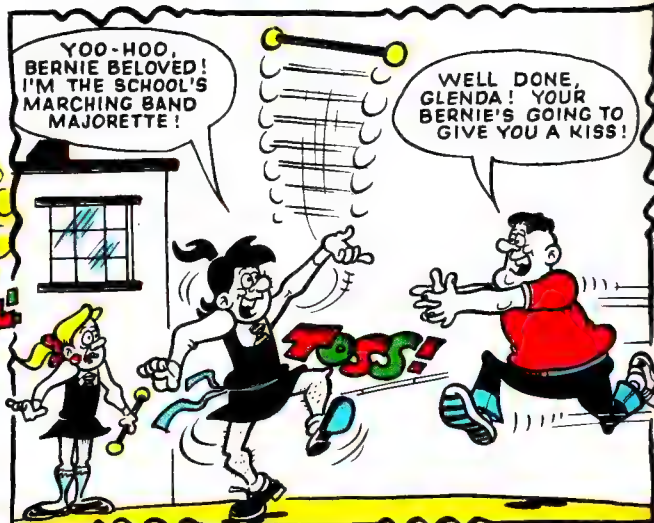
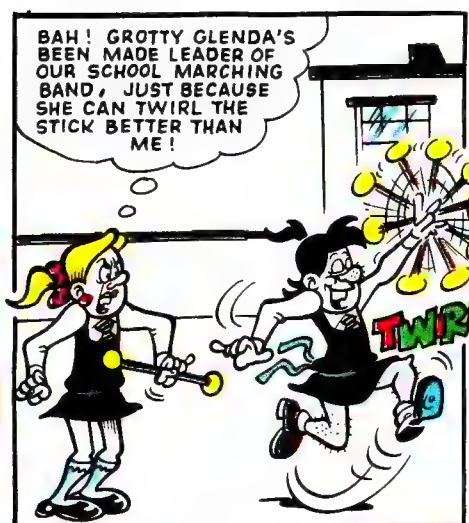
- RICHARD COGHLAN, FORMB4.

... How about a pair of glasses? No, sounds like a hopeless case, I'm afraid, Richard. Anyone who can actually fancy Brenda must be completely INSANE!!!

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WITH ME??

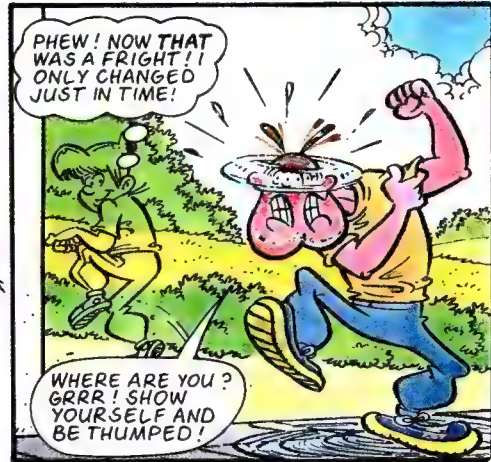
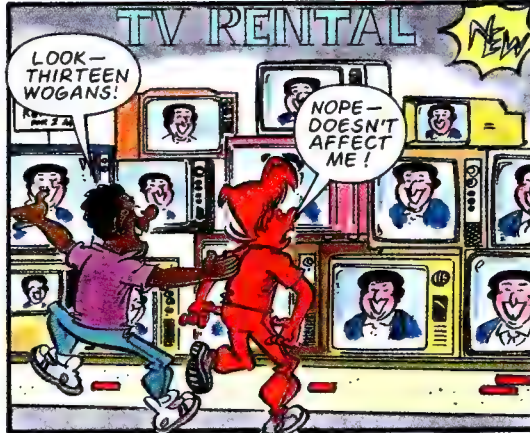
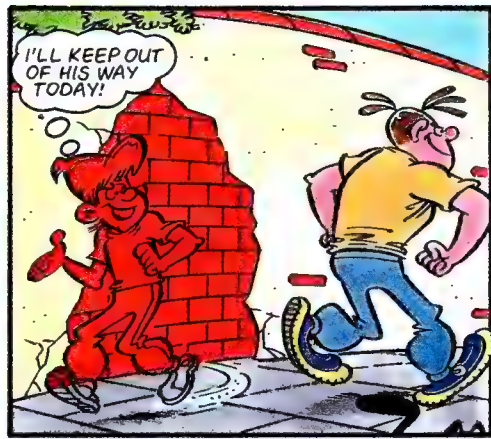


SCHOOL BELLE



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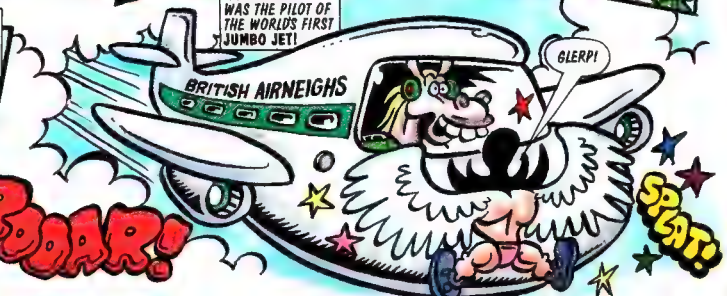
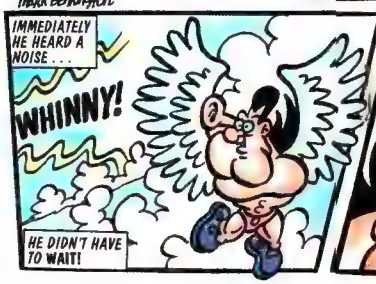
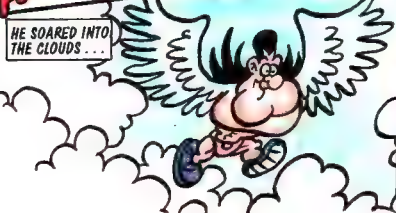
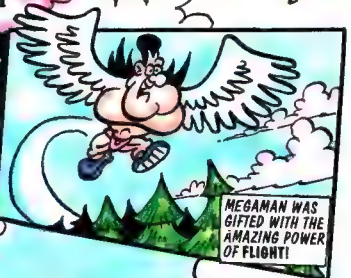
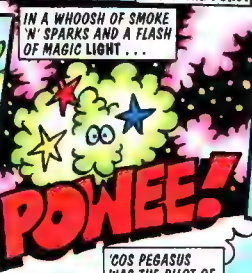
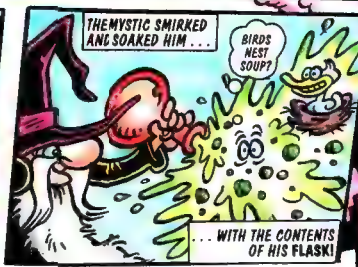
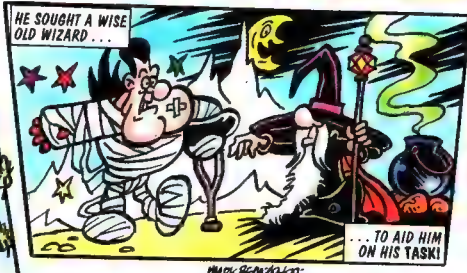
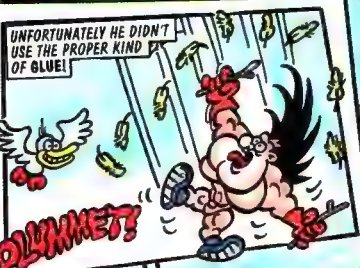
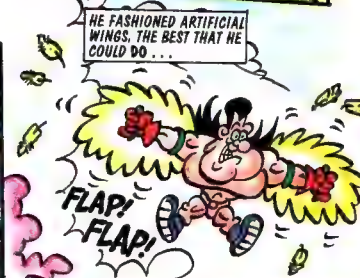
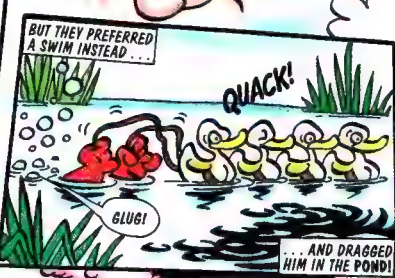
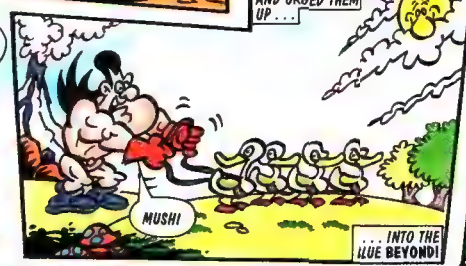
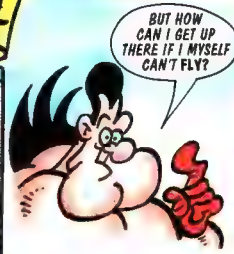
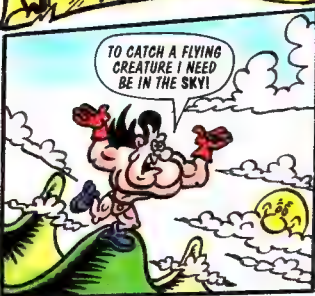
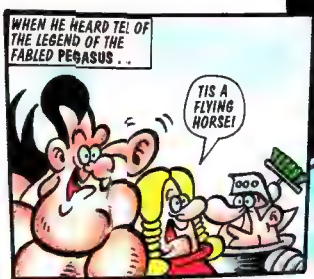
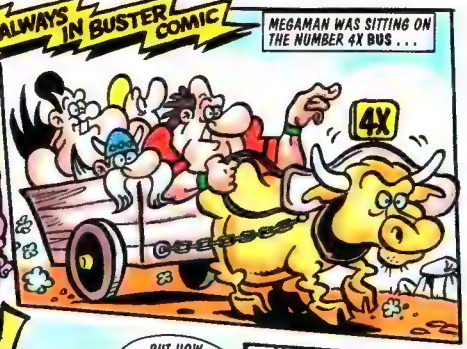
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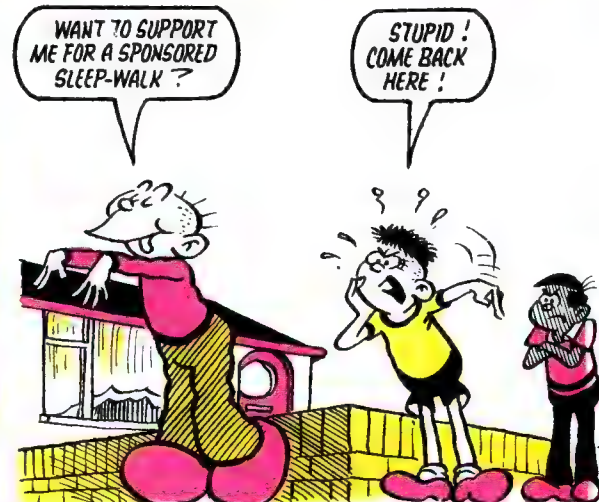
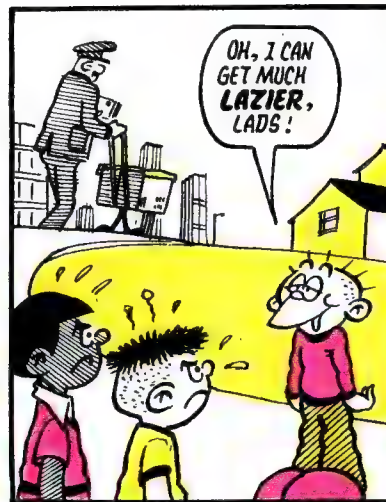
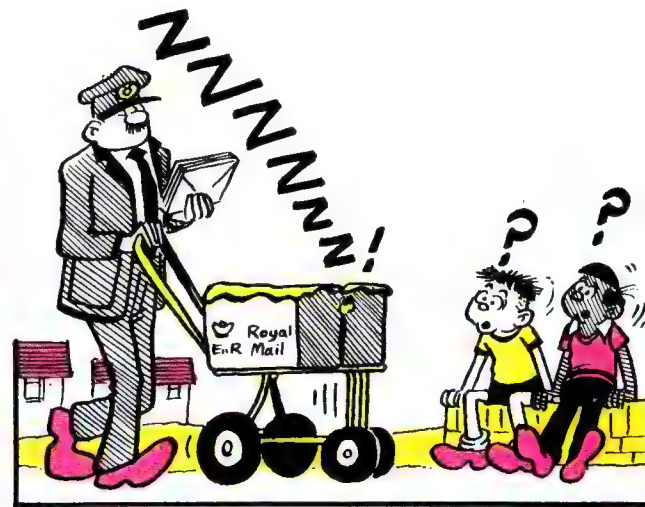
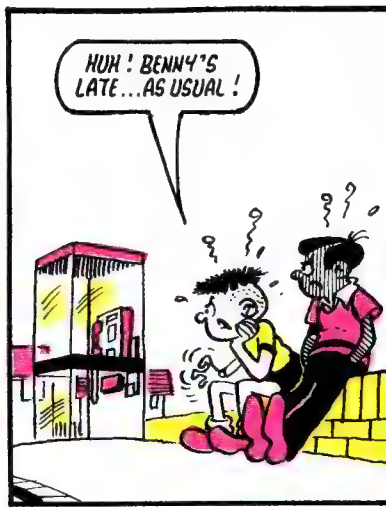
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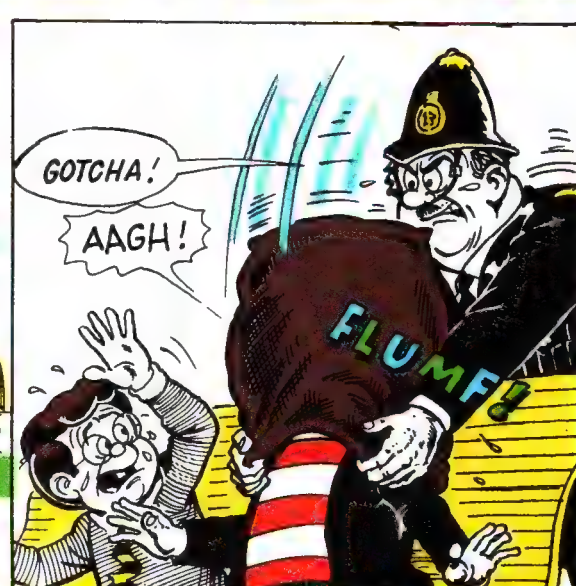


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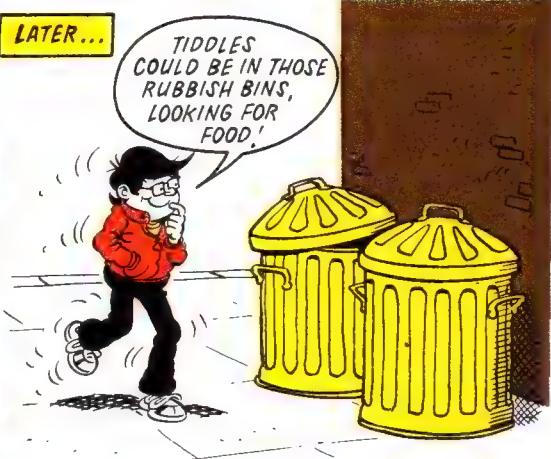
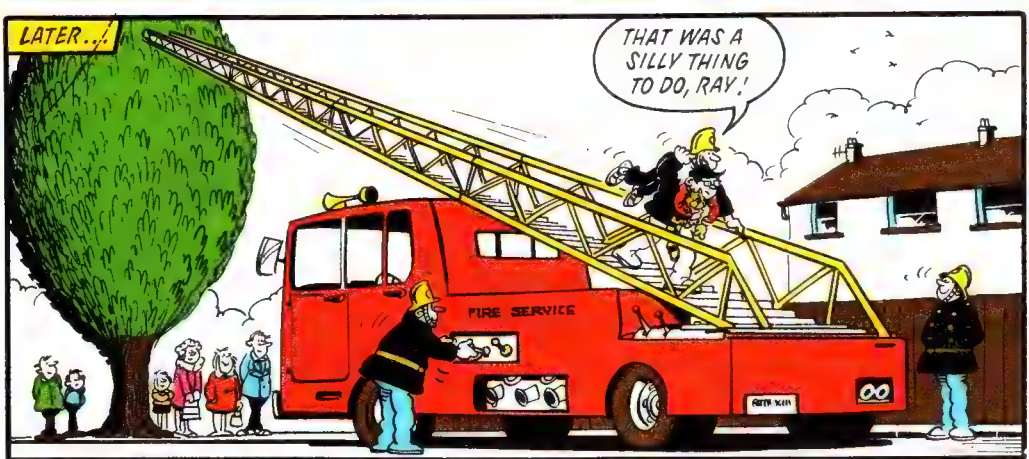
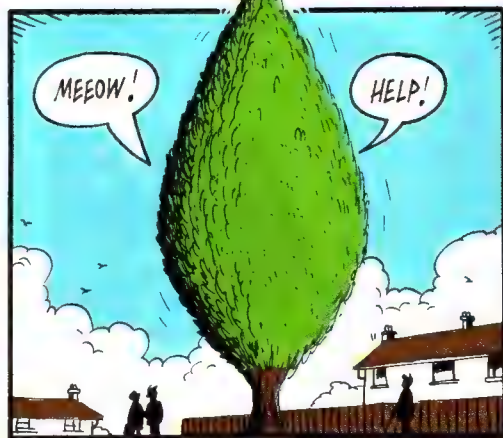
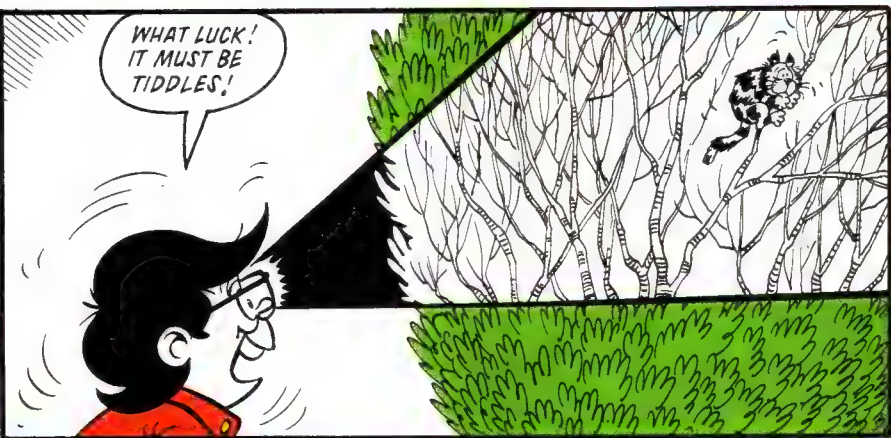
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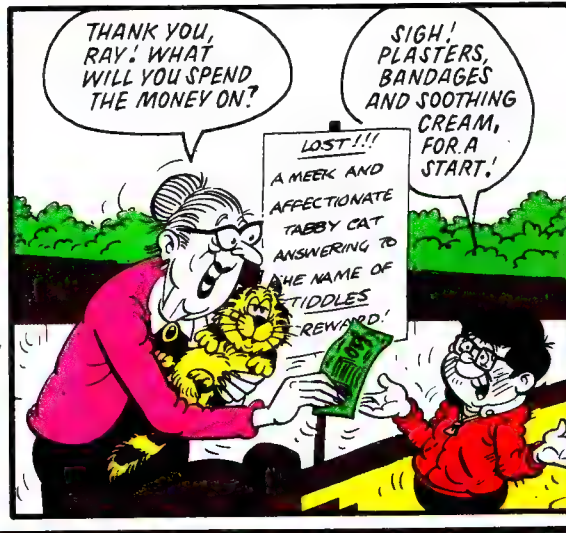
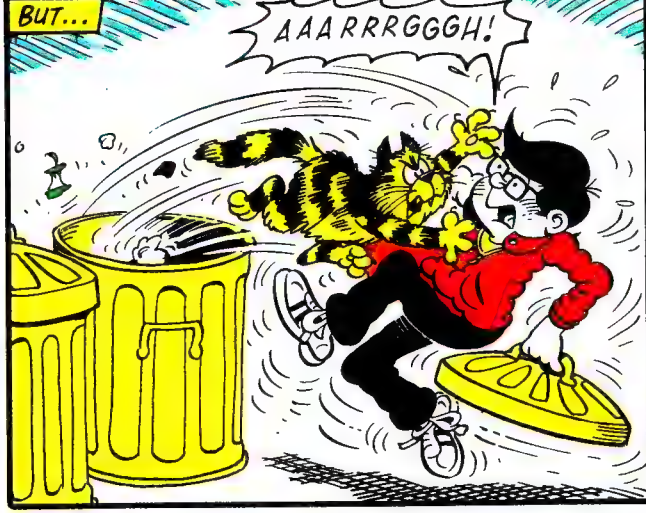
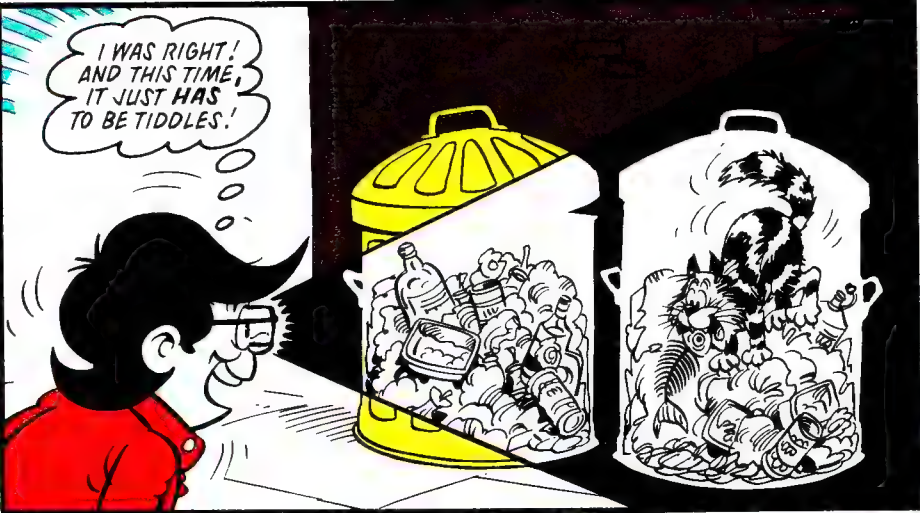
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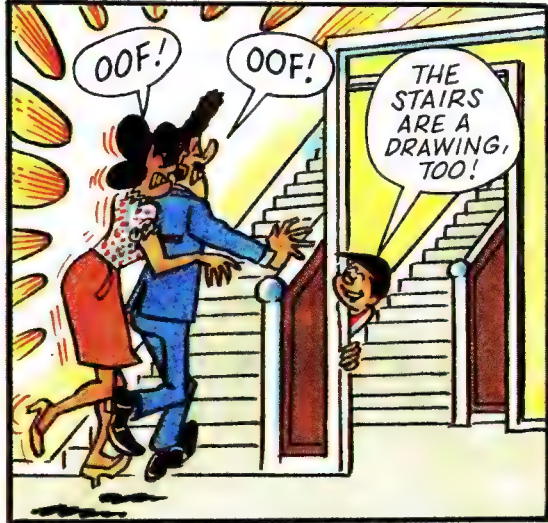
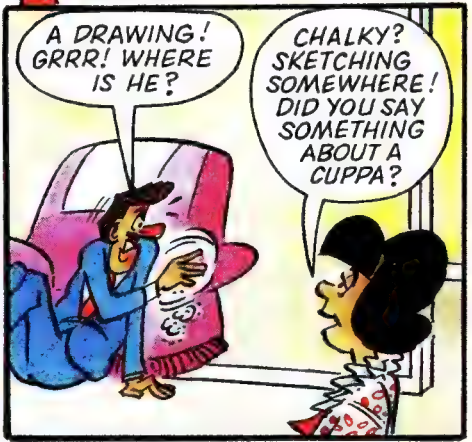




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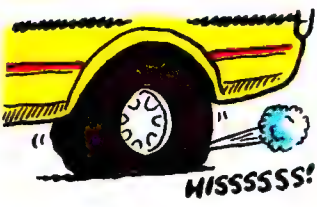




ARE YOU A COOL DUDE... ...OR A DUMBO?

Think you can get the top score this week? Dream on...this page is only for absolute boffs. No prizes, just the chance to prove how cool you are. One point for each correct answer, then check your score on the old Buster Dumbometer for the terrible truth.

1. THIS PICTURE REPRESENTS A MUSICAL TERM. CAN YOU WORK OUT WHAT IT IS?



2. THIS PICTURE REPRESENTS A COLOUR. WHAT IS IT?



0 - 1: Why is an idiot like the Galaxy? Because they've got a lot of 'space' between their ears. And guess who this week's idiot is?

2 - 3: You're just half a brain cell better off than the idiots in the section above.

4 - 5: Amazing! We've finally found some form of intelligent life out there.

6: This week's Galactic Genius!

3. USE THIS PICTURE TO WORK OUT THE NAME OF SOMETHING SPANISH.



4. THIS PICTURE REPRESENTS A TERM USED IN ASTRONOMY.



5. THIS PICTURE REPRESENTS A TYPE OF FIZZY DRINK.



6. THIS PICTURE REPRESENTS THE NAME OF TWO PIECES OF FURNITURE.



1. A Flat Minor. (A flat miner) An easy-peasy one just to get you started on the right 'note'! Get it?

2. Khaki. (Car key) Don't 'lock' like that - this is meant to be funny.

3. Picador. (Pick a door) If you got this one, 'bully' for you.

4. A Light Year. Bet some of you wouldn't have got this one in a million light years.

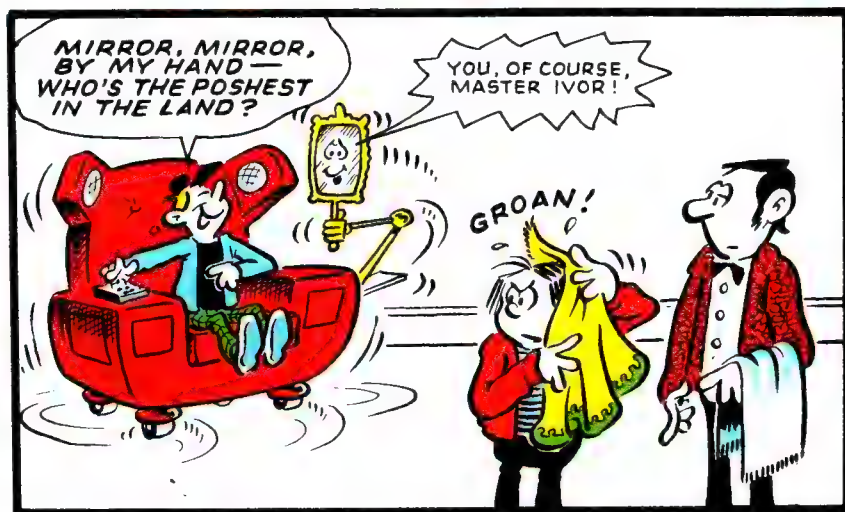
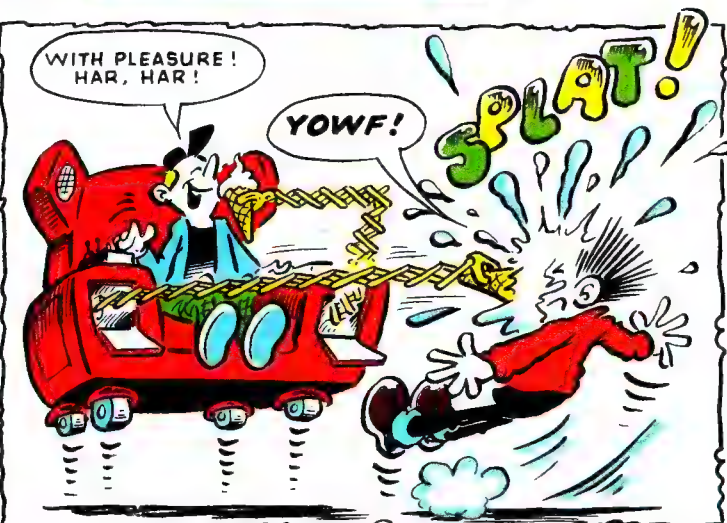
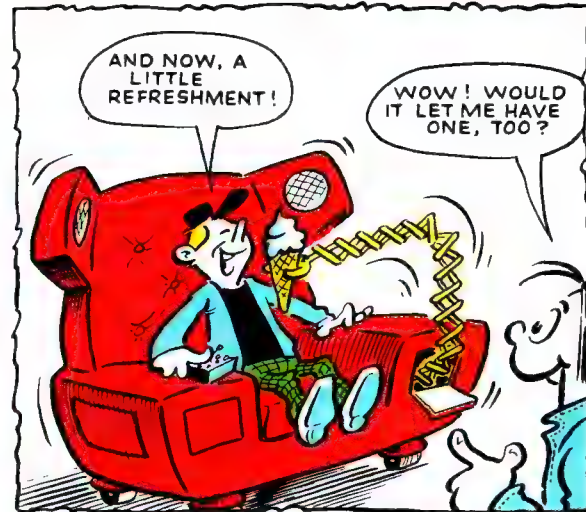
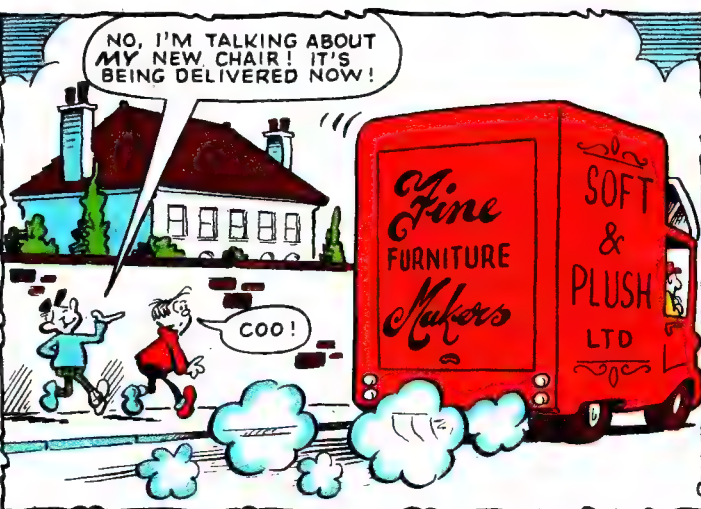
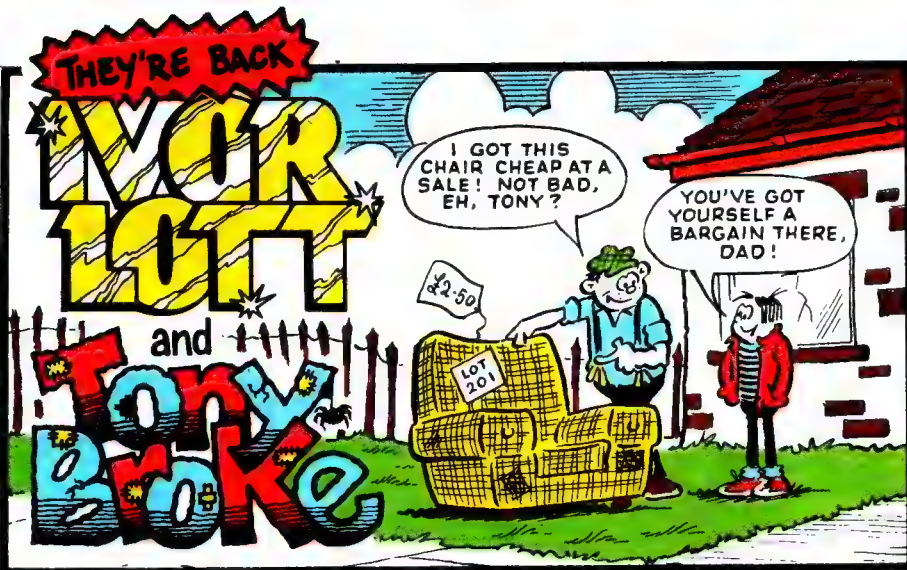
5. Ginger Pop. What is a frog's favourite fizzy drink? Croaka Cola.

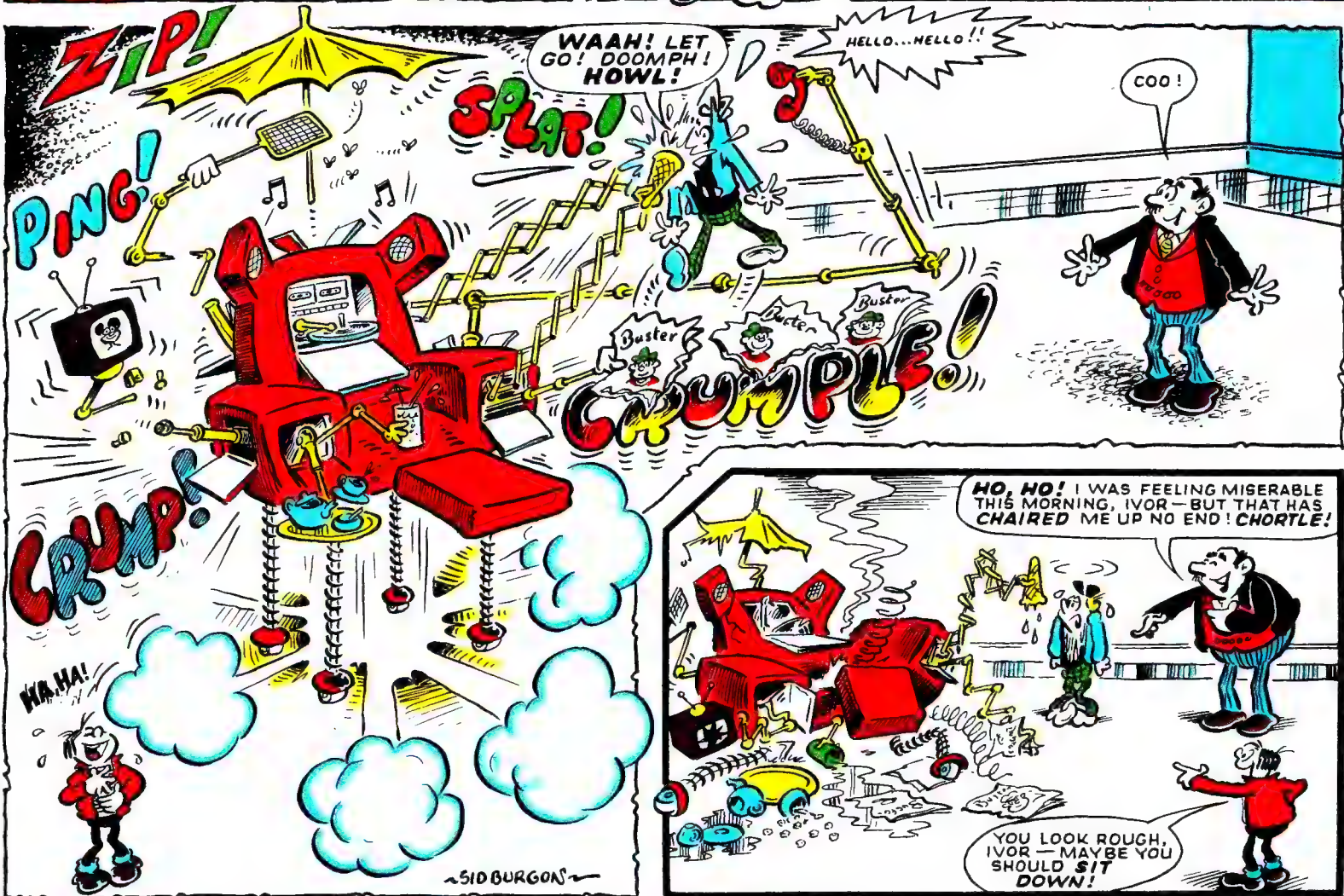
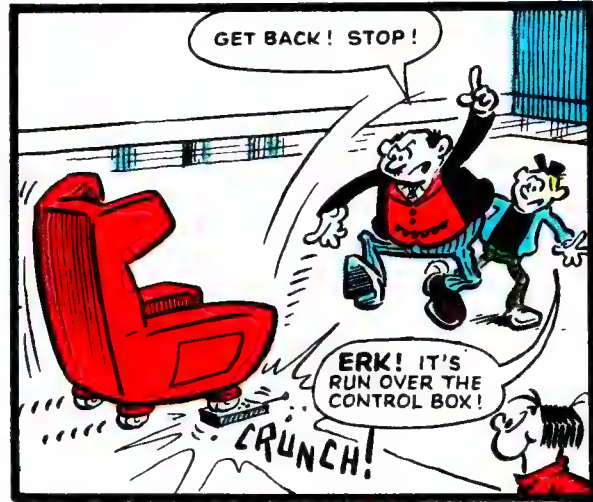
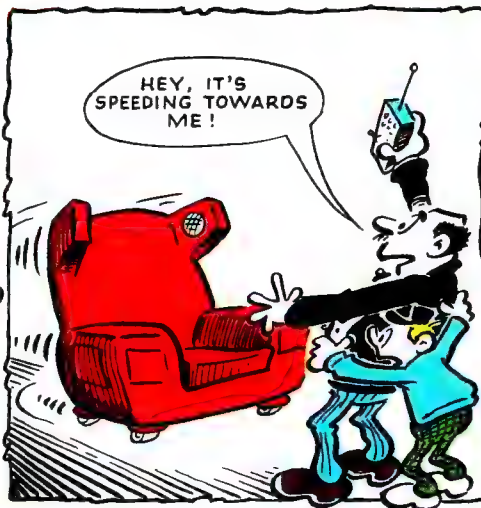
6. Twin Beds. No points if you thought this had something to do with a pair of kippers.

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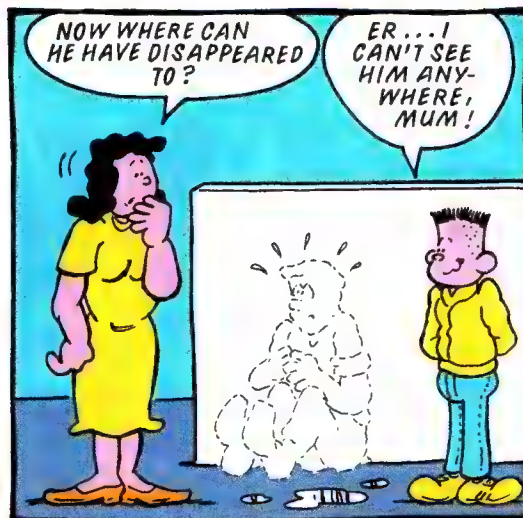
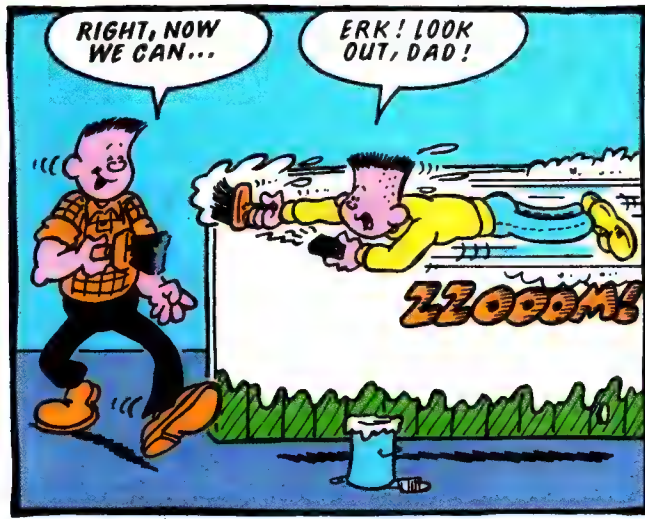
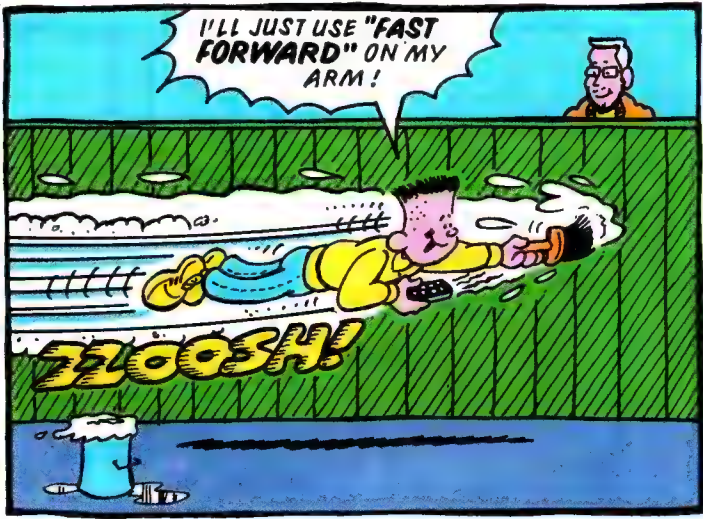
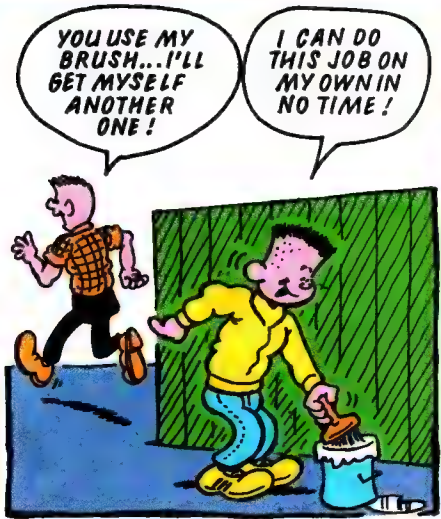
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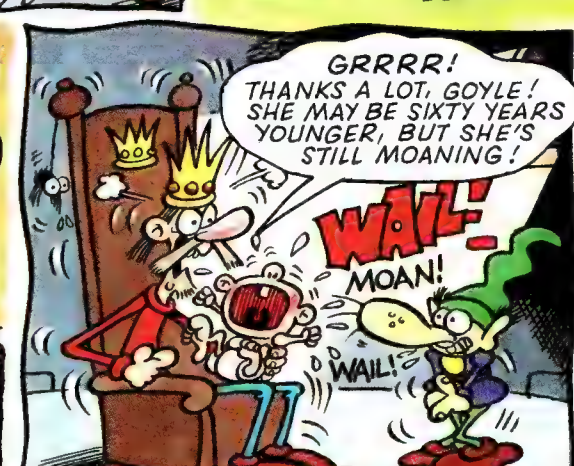
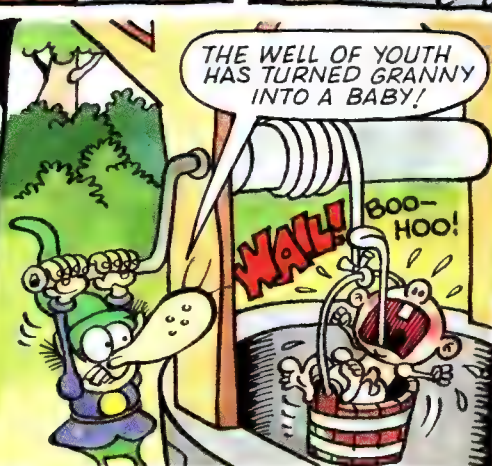
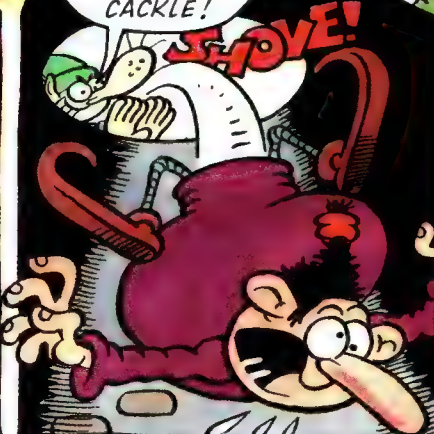
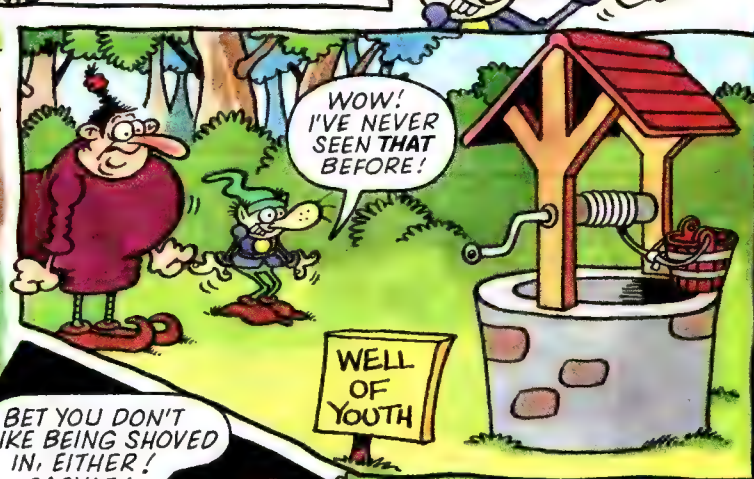
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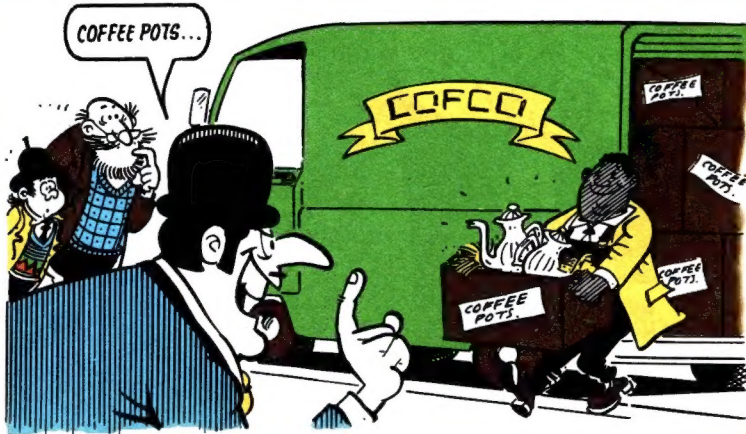
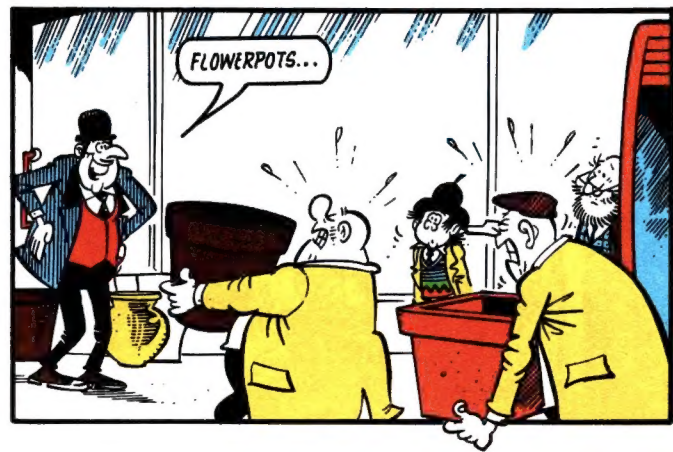
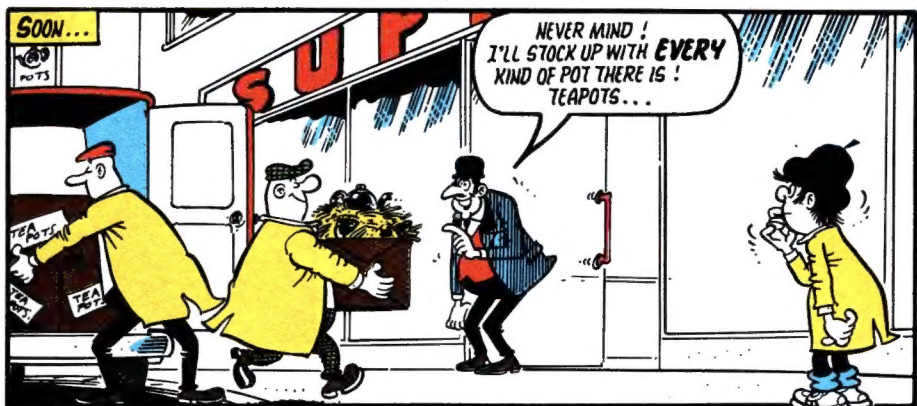
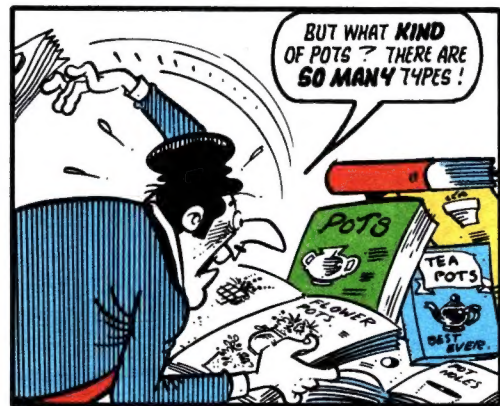
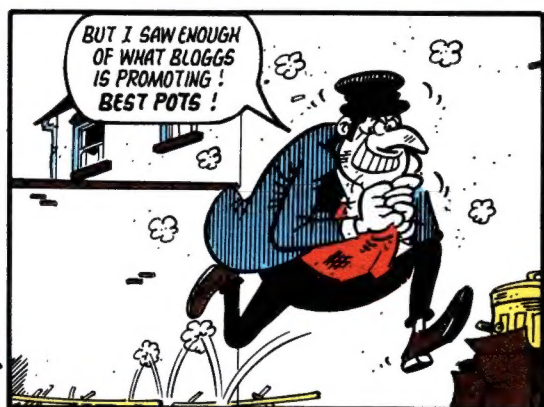
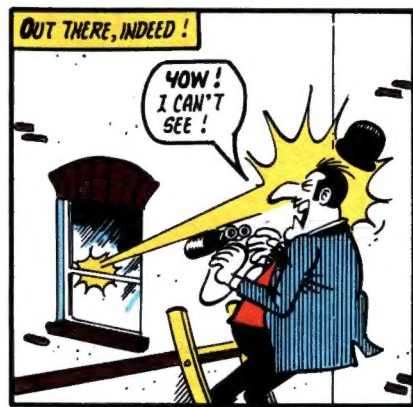
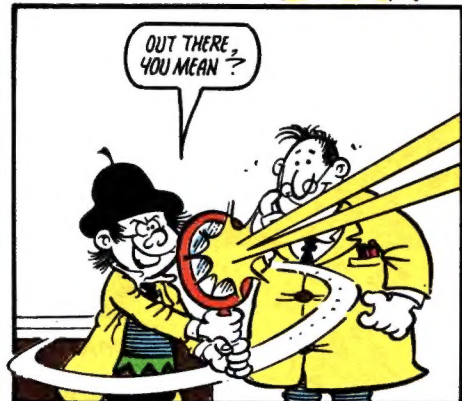
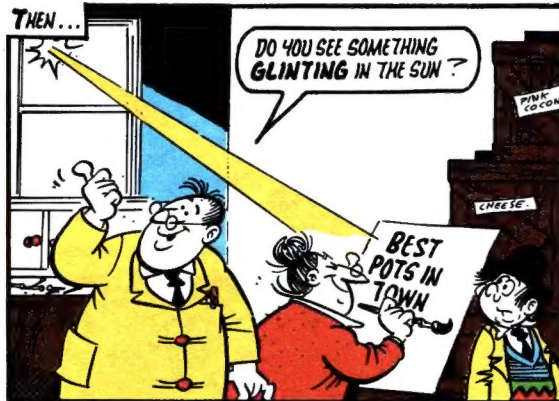


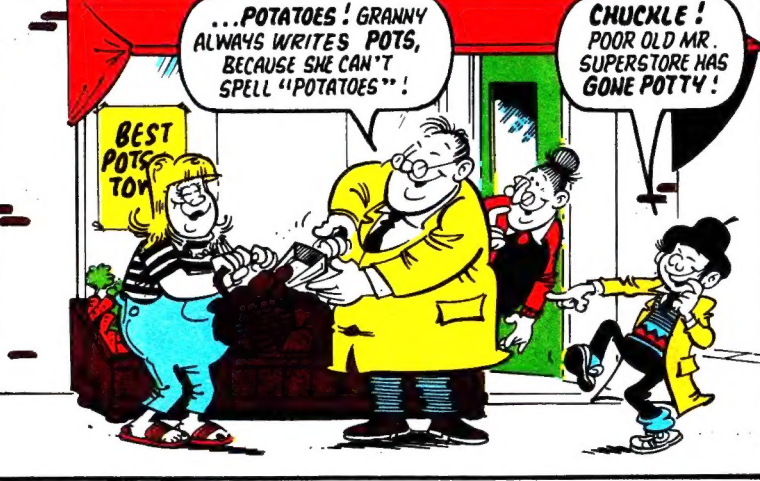
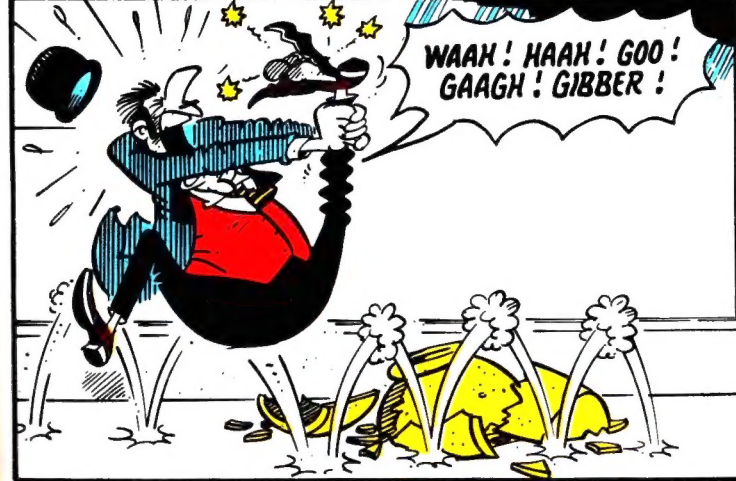
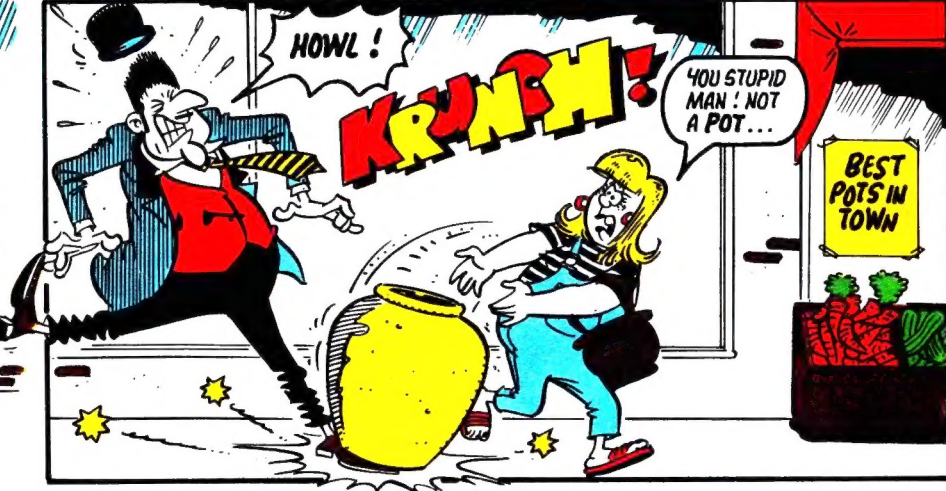
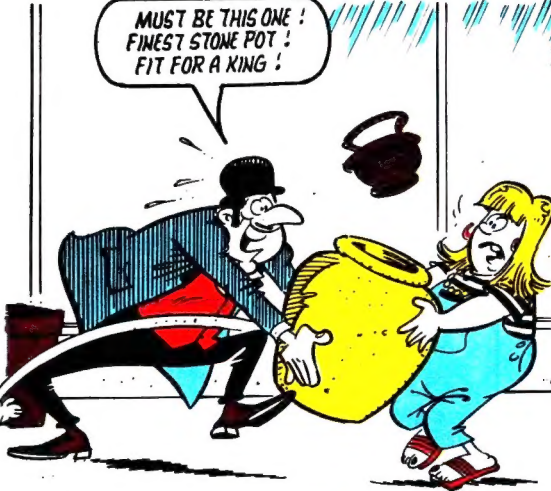
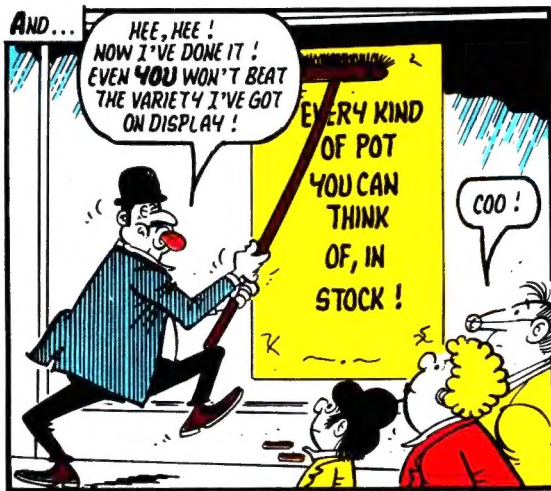
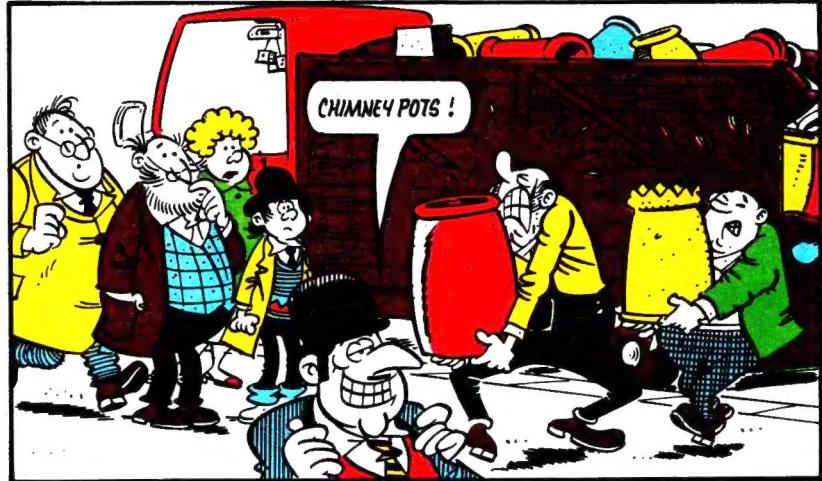
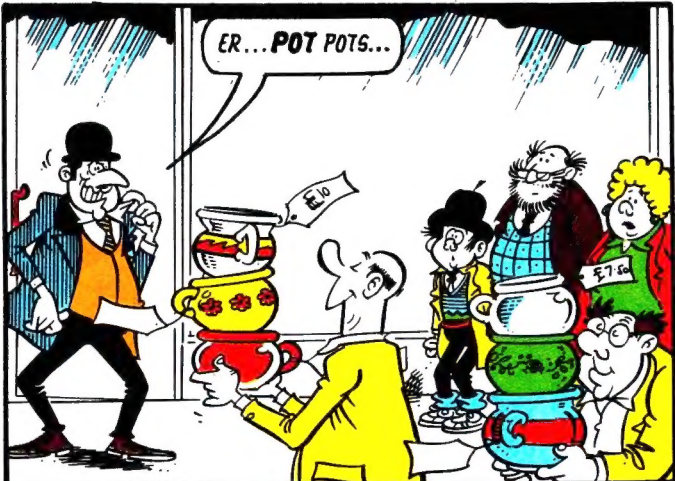
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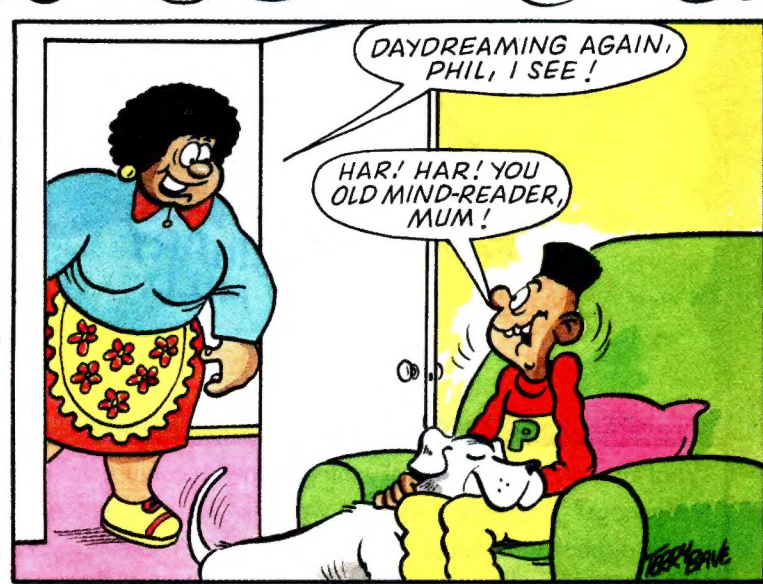
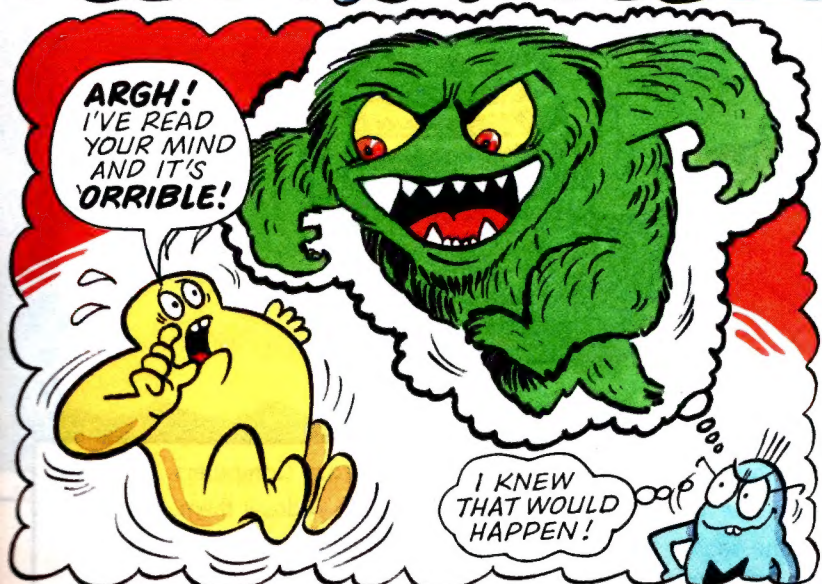
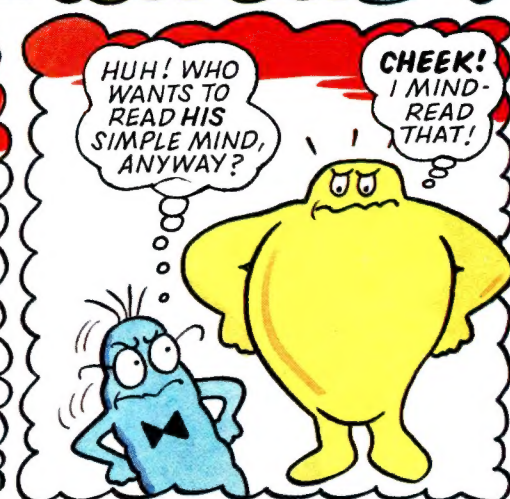
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